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UNION MEN IN FAVOR

Of Electing President, Senators and Cabinet by Direct Vote.

Resolution to Require Union Men to Use Only Union Label Goods Turned Down by the American Federation of Labor in Today's Session.

Boston, Mass, Nov. 19—When the annual convention of the American Federation of Labor reassembled today a hundred or more resolutions had yet to be acted upon The delegates hoped today to consider a great many of these in order to clear the way for an early adjournment as possible The committee on resolutions had read a score of petitions to report The schedule of the proceedings provided for the election of officers tomorrow

The first business was the acceptance of an unfavorable report on a resolution that labor unionists be pledged to use only union label goods

A resolution favoring the election by direct vote of the people of the president vice president members of the cabinet, and the United States senators, supreme court judges and attorney generals of the several states by the union was adopted

The committee offered a substitute for a resolution presented by Delegate Furuseth of San Francisco, that the convention protest against the building of an isthmain canal as leading inevitably to interference with the sovereignty of sister republics and the annexation of all the territory between Mexico and the proposed canal.

The substitute favored the construction of the canal but sugested that as there are hundreds of thousands of southern European and Italian laborers who are citizens of the United States, none but citizens should be employed in the construction of the canal This matter was laid upon the table The convention unanimously adopted resolutions that the Chinese exclusion act be made to apply to the Japanese and Koreans and other Asiatic Mongolian laborers in the Philippine and Hawaiian Islands, and that present Chinese exclusion acts continue in full force in these Islands The executive counsel was directed to have introduced in congress, a bill embodying the spirit of the resolutions

A motion to hold the next convention at St Louis was referred to the proper committee

The convention unanimously adopted a resolution discouraging in every way the 'op shop and petitioning President Roosevelt to examine into the affidavits and testimony submitted in the case of Wm A Miller in the government printing office at Washington, and upon verification of the evidence immediately to remove Miller from the government service

RAILROADS ARE FACTORS.

Managers Are Everywhere Lending W. C. T. U. Aid in Its Work.

Cincinnati, Nov 19—Before the close of the W C T U convention yesterday, the executive committee reported that it had ordered $5 000 appropriated for an exhibit at the world's fair This was approved by the convention The reports of Mrs E N Graham of Maryland, foreign superintendent of the department of work among railroad employes showed substantial and encouraging results One of the most hopeful facts was the attitude of the leading officials of the roads insisting on temperance among employes Twenty-five saloons in Cheyenne were closed by reason of the order of the Union Pacific forbidding employes to enter saloons The Wabash railway officers gave orders for the discharge of employes addicted to the use of intoxicants on or off duty Over 200,000 railroad employes are now wearing the railroad temperance button Social halls intended to counteract saloon influence have been erected in many places and have been looked upon with favor by the railway people.

Memorial services conducted by the president were held in memory of those who died during the year

Mrs H J Bailey of Maine, national superintendent of the department of peace in international arbitration and Mrs Nellie Stewart of Illinois of the department of franchises, submitted their reports

THREE MEN KILLED IN AN EXPLOSION.

Kalkaska, Mich, Nov 19 — The worst accident in the history of this country occurred early today at Sharon, a little village of 250 people, 26 miles from here By an explosion of dynamite in a morning store three men were killed, and a few so seriously injured that they may die before the day is over

The dead are Roy Dimes, blacksmith, August Wanglan scaler, William Sharp, night watchman

The injured George McClennan

The three men who were killed were terribly mangled The fire originated in the store owned by George Benson, it is supposed from an overheated stove The blaze spread quickly and in the excitement of the moment, they forgot a quantity of dynamite stored in the building, when the explosion came, several men, including those two were killed

BOTH ARE REPORTED IN DYING CONDITION.

Denver, Col., Nov 19—Rev Father Felix Mariano Lepore, pastor of Mount Carmel Catholic church, in this city, and Joseph Sorice, of Pittsburg, Pa., who shot each other after a game of cards in the priest's apartments at the rear of the church last night, are both reported to be in a dying condition todayq In an ante mortem statement made to Judge Scales of the district attorney's office, Father Lepore said that he believed his assault had been sent out to Denver for the purpose of killing him. Since his first conversation with Sorice, when he came to this city about a month ago.

WILL MEET TO CONSIDER PRICES.

New York, Nov. 19.—Another meeting of the manufacturers of steel rails will be held next week at which the price question will be again considered. According to the Journal of Commerce, the independent companies are thoroughly in earnest either in having prices regulated, or in sharing in the tonnage which is likely to come forward in greater proportion and the result of the meeting is anticipated with interest.

STOCK IS SUFFERING FROM THE EXTREME COLD.

Butte, Mont., Nov 19—As a result of deep snow and extreme cold weather, heavy sheep losses will result. Reports from Sweet Grass Co, say the blinding snow has scattered sheep over mountains and lowlands into sections where not a vestige of food can be found Two bands of sheep belonging to Veasy and McConnell, got away from their herders and are scattered in hills. Wild animals driven from Mountains by snow and cold are raising havoc with stock The temperature is from 20 to 25 degrees below zero.

CONSUL WHO PLAYED PART

For American Interests During Boxer Uprising Has Returned to This Country.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 19.—John Fowler, U. S. consul at Che Foo, China, since 1896, has arrived here on the steamer Gaelic. Mr. Fowler, who has been in the consular service in China since 1890, played an important part in the troubles that attended the Boxer uprising The influence he exercised is said to have been largely instrumental in preventing the allies from operating about Che Foo.

HAS DEPARTED FOR HER HOME IN CANADA.

New York, Nov. 19.—Commissioner Booth, head of the Salvation Army in Canada who has been ill in this city, has started for her home at Toronto She came here shortly before her sister, Mrs. Booth-Tucker, was killed The commissioner was then ill from acute stomach trouble and news of her sister's death brought on an attack of nervous prostration.

VICEROY OF INDIA IS VISITING THE SULTAN.

Moscat, Arabia, Nov. 19.—The viceroy of India, Lord Curzon who left Karachi, November 16th, escorted by four battleships on a tour of the Persian gulf, arrived here today. Visits were exchanged between the Sultan of Oman and Lord Curzon.

The town is enjoying a holiday. The principal buildings are profusely decorated and there will be a fine illumination tonight, afloat and ashore.

STARVATION FACING THEM

Many Persons Snowbound in Montana, Relief Parties Are Being Sent Out.

Missoula, Mont, Nov 19—Word has been received from the Trout Creek district, that there are several parties of emigrants along the Spokane road, in the west end of Missoula county, snowbound and on the verge of starvation In one party near the Idaho border is a family of five snowed up and without provisions or money The family is living in eight wagon bed, unable to get out or secure food for the stock

Three other emigrants parties are reported along the trail snowed up in the passes and all in a precarious condition Efforts are being made to send out relief parties

CATCHING THE TURKEY.

WELCOME WAS A ROYAL ONE.

London in Gay Attire Received the King and Queen of Italy.

London, Nov. 19—The welcome of King Victor Emanuel and Queen Helena, of Italy to London, as the guests of the Lord Mayor and Corporation today, was of remarkable cordiality. Immediately upon their arrival, except when traversing Hyde Park, the royal procession passed beneath one long canopy of bright colors, enhanced here and there by triumphal arches

Each side of the route was fringed with troops, behind which thick masses of people gave the royal guests a splendid reception. The weather, which was fresh and bright, lent itself to the holiday making The Italian sovereigns who came from Windsor in the diamond Jubilee train, were met at Paddington station by the headquarters staff

King Victor Emanuel wore the uniform of a genera of Italian Cuirassiers The queen was dressed in a charming lilac silk costume, with a cream lace, touque and cream velvet cloak Five four horsed seat carriages contained the suites. A sovereign's escort of the Life Guards attended their majesties and a military contingent also brought up the rear of the royal calvacade, which, as it left the station, was greeted with rousing cheers. Proceeding through Hyde Park the king and queen reached the Italian embassy, at which was stationed as a guard of honor the Garibaldian veterans At the embassy they held a reception and received addresses from the Italian colony

Subsequently the cortege reformed and the Italian king and queen, after half an hour's procession through bedecked streets, reached the Guild Hall without incident.

On entering the library they were greeted by a distinguished gathering, including the prince and princess of Wales, the duke of Connaught, the duke and duchess of Argyll, and other members of the royal family, and many cabinet ministers, peers, members of the house of commons, etc

The Lord and Mayor Sir Jas T Ritchie, met the guests at the entrance of the historic city hall and conducted them to the library, where the corporation's address was presented in a gold casket expressing lively satisfaction at the visit of King Victor Emanuel and Queen Helena as a pledge of the continuance of the friendship of Italy and Great Britain and recalling with pride the visit of the former King Victor Emanuel to Queen Victoria.

FAIR HEIRS PAYING OUT

Large Sums From Estate for Fees and Money Advanced Chas. L Fair.

San Francisco, Cal Nov 19.—The Fair heirs are still occupying a great deal of attention in the local courts, and big fees are yet being paid out.

The following awards of fees for services to the Charles Fair estate have been made by Superior Judge Cook

To Joseph Harvey, for money advanced to Chas L Fair and for services rendered $112,000, to Chas S Neal, for services rendered $50,000, to Captain John F. Seymour, for services rendered $25,000

Besides these awards the court considered that $15,493 be paid to the Crocker-Woolworth bank for moneys advanced and about fifty small claims were allowed

COLD IN SUGAR REGION.

New Orleans, Nov 19.—Not since 1891, has it been so cold in November in New Orleans as it is today, with the thermometer registering 30 degrees. intense cold prevails in the sugar region.

SHE MADE ROME HOWL

Carrie Nation Invades Sacred Precincts of Senate and Attracts Attention.

Early in the Day She Visited White House From Which She Had to Be Ejected by Force. Finished Her Noisy Round at Police Headquarters.

Washington, Nov 19—It was 12 15 when Carrie Nation, rushed into the senate gallery today She shouted at the top of her voice, 'Saloons are Anarchism they are treason and conspiracy

A few minutes before she had been talking with Senator Cockrell in the senate marble room, having sent her card to him

Officers Dalrymple and Kemp were obliged to use some force to induce her to leave the legislative offices, and finally conducted her outside of the White House grounds All the while she continued to declaim her principles and to rail at the president for not releasing her Of course until some afterward, the president knew nothing of her being at the White House Mrs Nation went direct to the capitol after leaving the White House and appeared in the senate gallery, a few minutes before the session was called to order She was soon discovered and surrounded by pages and messenger boys, and until prohibited by the senate officials, did thriving business in selling her card with a tiny hatchet attached She took a seat well to the front in the ladies public gallery She announced her intention to make a speech to the senate but when told that she would not be allowed to do so, she acquiesced readily, and took her departure She went to the marble room and talked with Senator Cockrell

Mrs Nation complained sharply of her expulsion from the White House and she did not know why she had been so treated

"I did nothing to deserve to be put out," she said, 'For I want it understood that I a ma law abiding woman"

She had been absent from the gallery about ten minutes when she reappeared at one of the doors of the ladies gallery, and raising her voice far above normal tone, shouted in a shouted "Saloons are anarchy!" She saloons are treason." She swung her arm around her head and again shouted "Saloons are anarchy,' she was preparing to go on when a door keeper caught her and pushed her out of the door The senate was at the time engaged and receiving bills, but Mrs. Nation's voice was so much more penetrating than the reading clerks, that it was distinctly heard throughout the senate chamber, and in every corridor The incident created some comment

Mrs Nation was arrested at the capitol and escorted to police headquarters

DEMANDED

An Audience With Mrs. Roosevelt, and Had to Be Put Out.

Washington, Nov 19—Carrie Nation was forcibly ejected from the executive offices this morning She called there early and demanded to see the president Secretary Loeb declined to allow her to see President Roosevelt and she became so demonstrative that it was necessary to call officers to remove her She continued to shout so loudly that it was necessary to take her out of the grounds As she was being escorted away from the executive offices by the officers by the police she shouted

I am going to pray for a prohibition president—one who will represent the people and not the distillers and brewers'

Twenty-five and Costs.

Washington Nov 19—Mrs. Carrie Nation was taken from the capitol to the police station where she was arraigned on a charge of disorderly conduct She was found guilty and sentenced to pay a fine of $25 This she promptly paid Mrs Nation acted as her own attorney

QUICK WORK BY SHERIFF.

Snatched Satchel Containing $42,000 From Paymaster for Penna R. R.

In His Office He Emptied It, Took Out $20,000 to Satisfy a Judgment Against Company and Returned Balance.

Logansport, Ind., Nov. 19.—As Paymaster Sweethen of the Pennsylvania R. R Company was leaving the First National bank this morning, Sheriff Beckley took from him, a valise containing $42,000 and carried it to the court house where the money was poured out on a table and nearly $20 000 of it seized by the officer The sheriff was collecting judgment in favor of Thomas Collins and George Lightheiser who were injured on the Pennsylvania line and were awarded damages in court Sweethen was taking the money to a pay car to pay off employes of the road.

GOV. IS THREATENED WITH DEATH

Cheyenne, Wyo, Nov 19—Governor Chatterton has received a letter written on stationery of the Albany hotel, in Denver, threatening him with death unless he commutes sentence of Tom Horn who is to be hanged here tomorrow for the murder of Willie Nickell The letter declared in substance that if Horn is permitted to hang, Governor Chatterton will not be permitted to live 24 hours The governor does not regard the threat

JAPANESE PRESS WANT TO FIGHT.

St Petersburg, Nov 19.—A dispatch from Port Arthur notes a renewal of the bellicose tone of the Japanese press. It says Japan's agents appear to have met with some successes in China, reiterates the report that the Chinese viceroys and governors have been instructed to collect funds and troops with all haste, because of the possibility of a rupture of diplomatic relations with Russia, and adds that some of the viceroys have been ordered to take precautionary measures for the protection of the coast, "so as to avoid the mistakes of past years."

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ELABORATE WEDDING IN INDIAN COUNTRY

Is Believed by Older Indians to Be Last of Its Kind the Osage Redskins Will Ever Celebrate.

The most elaborate wedding in the history of the Osage Indians was on the Osage reservation a few weeks ago. This wedding is believed by the older Indians to be the last of its kind that will be celebrated by this tribe. At one time it looked as if the ceremony would be declared off, because the groom refused to attire himself in blanket and red paint.

The contracting parties were Arthur Bonniecastle, a full blood Osage, and Angie Penn. The bride has a small strain of white blood. Nearly 300 white persons and the Indians in the district were there.

When Arthur Bonniecastle was 8 years old his parents died and he was sent to the Osage Mission in Kansas, and later to the Carlisle Institute, where he was graduated with high honors.

When the first call for volunteers in the last war was made he enlisted and saw service in Cuba. He went to China with his regiment, and was the second man over the walls of Pekin. For this service he wears a medal, given him by the United States government. He was transferred to the Philippines with his regiment, and served there until nine months ago, when he was honorably discharged, and left the service as first sergeant of his company. Six months ago he went to the reservation, the home of his boyhood. To him all the manners and customs of his people were new, and it required some time for him to again acquire the Osage language, although he speaks English, French and Spanish. He is the ideal type of the Indian—tall, straight as an arrow and is absolutely honest.

A Beautiful Indian Woman.

Angie Penn's beauty is known from one end of the reservation to the other. There is not a more beautiful Indian woman in the country than she. She is 17 years old, and her husband is 24. One day while at the agency at Pawhuska he saw the girl, told his brother about her and informed him that he was going to call upon her. This was one of the manners he had learned while in the white man's country, but it is not the custom of the Indian. Henry Bonniecastle, the brother, explained that in order to secure the woman of his choice he must buy her, and also that he probably would have to bid at an auction sale against other eligible young men on the reservation. The young man said this was like purchasing steers, but he left the arrangements to his brother. Among the Osages the lover never enters into the trade, but some relative makes the purchase, under the directions of the lover, and then draws upon him for the expenses of the transaction.

The brother in this case went to Sassy Calf, a near relative of the girl, and told him of the desires of his brother. Sassy Calf at once assumed the role of matchmaker and sent out word that upon a certain day he would receive bids for the hand, if not the heart, of Angie Penn. Upon the day set four young bucks, all accompanied by their relatives, appeared at the home of Sassy Calf. A feast was served and the relatives of the young men squatted in a circle, in the center of which stood Sassy Calf, ready to conduct the sale. Previous to this, the young men had been allowed an opportunity of taking a look at the girl, but were not allowed to talk to her. Each made up his mind just how much a wife of that kind was worth to him, and notified his relative how much to bid before dropping out of the game. Bonniecastle told his brother that he wanted the girl and to outbid all of the others.

The bidding was spirited, but Bonniecastle's brother was declared the successful purchaser. The proceeds of the sale went to the girl's relatives and toward defraying the expenses of the wedding. The amount finally agreed upon for this girl was $500 in cash for the wedding feast, a racehorse, known as Hoodoo, valued at $650, and fifteen good Indian ponies, valued at $750. The horse Hoodoo was to go to Sassy Calf, the matchmaker, and the fifteen Indian ponies were to go to the guests at the wedding.

Her Husband a Stranger.

The bride was not even told who was to be her husband. All she knew was that she was going to be married, and that is considered enough for any Indian woman. The order for the bride's trousseau was given to the Delaware Indians, who live east of the Osage reservation, and who are adepts at Indian needle and fancy work. It was the most elaborate ever worn by an Osage bride, and its cost was nearly $1,500.

During the preparations the bride was not willing to be married. She feared she was to be married to some blanketed buck, and such a husband did not in the least suit her progressive ideas. Her objections were not taken into consideration by the relatives, and little attention was paid to her.

The day for the wedding arrived, and all the Indians were in attendance at the Indian camp near Pawhuska. They had arrived several days before the date, and were enjoying a season of feasting. Upon the morning of the wedding day, all the Indians attired themselves in their gaudiest blankets, put on their best paint and brightest feathers. The bride was taken from her home to the tent of a neighbor, and there the squaws dressed her in the wedding finery. This was all done according to the custom of ages, and required about three hours. Then the procession started for the home of the groom-to-be, a short distance away. During this time the man in the case was in his tepee awaiting the appearance of the bride.

In a buggy drawn by two Indian ponies, that were led by two of the relatives of the bride, she rode, and with her rode the maid of honor. The four bridesmaids rode on horses, two upon each side of the buggy. In front of the tepee of Bonniecastle the bride left the buggy and the four bridesmaids placed her on a blanket which was wrapped around her and then four squaws seized the blanket and took it inside, where the young man awaited. Now, for the first time, the bride saw her future husband. In a few moments the two appeared before the tent surrounded by the maid of honor and the bridesmaids. At this point the wedding came near being declared off, because the groom, instead of wearing blanket, war bonnet and paint, as the Indians all expected, and as custom demanded, stepped forth from the tepee in a neat fitting broadcloth, white shirt, standing collar, tie, patent leather shoes and a Derby hat. A loud objection was made to this by the fullbloods, who thought he should have observed all of their customs. A committee of the head men of the tribe went to him and urged him to don the blanket and feathers. He refused. They insisted and he finally told them plainly, that he was there to be married and he was going to wear the clothing of the white man. He also added that if they did not like his plan they could go to a place hotter than the Osage reservation. A council of the committee was held and Bonniecastle won his point. Here the groom introduced another feature not on the program, and not in accordance with the traditional customs, but no objections were made to it by the Indians. After the argument about the groom's dress was settled, a priest stepped out of the crowd of white people and performed the wedding ceremony according to the rites of the Catholic church. The Indian ceremony was then resumed and the races were called.

Sassy Calf, mounted upon a fine horse belonging to the groom, rode about 200 yards from the crowd and fired a gun. This was the signal for the start of the race for the groom's horse, saddle and gun, and the contestants in this race can be only relatives of the groom. As Bonniecastle had only one relative, his brother, the race was easily won by him. Then the buggy in which the bride had been taken to the tepee, was drawn out about 200 yards from the crowd and another gun was fired. Nearly every squaw present was in this race, as it is a sort of a free for all, and any of the women are at liberty to run if they desire. The first one to the buggy won it.

Gifts to the Guests.

The fifteen ponies given by the groom for the bride were given away, some to the relatives of the bride and some to the white persons in attendance. The best part of the ceremony, to the Indians, was yet to come. The feast had been prepared and all sat down to eat. The bride and groom sat at the head of the table on the ground, surrounded by their relatives and those who had taken part in the marriage, while all of the other Indians sat around and stuffed themselves with the eatables provided with the $500 paid by the groom.

At this wedding feast both the bride and the groom partook of the food at once. The bride has about $30,000 worth of property, besides her share in the tribe's general money and her annuity from the government. Bonniecastle has about $20,000. A feature of the ceremony was the refusal of the Indians to be photographed, and not a camera was allowed in the Indian camp.

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PUBLIC AUCTION.

I will offer at public auction on the public square in Lima, O., on Saturday, Nov. 21, 1903, at 1:30 p. m., the following property: One 7 year old mare weighing 1,500 lbs; one 8 year old mare weighing 1,500 lbs; one gelden 11 year old, a family horse, safe for women to drive anywhere; one new 3¾ turnbed wagon; one double set of heavy wagon harness.

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THE STAGE.

One of the great novelties of the season is the coming to the Faurot opera house tonight of the world famous Jules Grau Opera company, which is educating the public to high class productions and presenting nothing but novelties. The name of Grau is known all over the world. It has done more for the theatre-going public than any other living manager's. They have introduced to this country the greatest singers and actors the world has ever known, having had under their management such names as Patti, Malba, Calve, Eames, Henry Irving, Salvini, Jenny Lind and many others, and the name of Grau has only been associated with the best organizations both in Europe and America. Mr. Jules Grau brings with him to Lima some of the finest singers ever heard here in comic opera, and the the public can look forward to a great operatic treat.

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In the whole field of theatricals it will be difficult to find a more pronounced success than Willard Spencer's now famous comedy opera "Miss Bob White," which is to be the attraction at Faurot opera house on Saturday, matinee and night. The production in this city will be identical in every particular with that at the Chestnut street theatre, Philadelphia, where the phenomenal record of one hundred consecutive performances was reached last season. Philadelphia's verdict has been sustained everywhere, and the performance here will be marked by the same elaborateness as during its original run. The original scenery and costumes will be utilized and the company of eighty people will include the great beauty chorus and a special orchestra. Among the principals are Neil McNeal, Frank Deshon, Robert Broderick, Nicholas Burnham, Donald Archer, Dorothy Hunting, Alice Dovey and Edith Blair and Marion Granger.

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Couple Seeks Comfort in Marriage.

Wren-Molsher

Nuptial Event Occurred This Morning.

The Archers Called to Kenton by Illness—Post-office Notes.

Erie Railroad Notes Catholic Fair Tonight I. O O F Banquet—South Side Happenings of General Interest.

Cupid, the mischievous fellow has wandered over to south Lima and successfully aimed his dart at two of our aged residents, the result of which was a happy wedding at the home of Mr and Mrs P L Yant, 953 Florence avenue The contracting parties were Mr Edwin Wren aged 60 years, a commercial man who resides at 774 St Johns avenue and Mrs Sarah Molsher who conducts a millinery establishment at 723 south Main street, and who gives her age as 56 The ceremony was performed at 8 30 o'clock this morning by Rev J D Lawrence of Port Jefferson Shelby county O (Mr Wren was formerly of Port Jefferson), the bride wearing a very pretty wedding costume of brown satin, while the happy groom wore the conventional black Mr and Mrs Wren will make their home in south Lima and are now receiving congratulations from their many friends

Called Away By Sickness.

Yesterday, Mrs G N Archer of 942 Florence avenue received a message from Kenton announcing the serious illness of her mother Mrs Mary E. Spencer and this morning Mr and Mrs Archer accompanied by M David Tuttle of south Metcalf street, a sister to Mrs. Spencer, went to Kenton.

At the Postoffice.

Yesterday, John Anderson, a clerk in the south side postoffice, returned to work after a vacation of about fifteen days, which he spent in hunting and visiting

This morning Guy Sproul, another one of the genial clerks, began his vacation..

Deserved Promotion.

John Cochran, the race-horse man, of west Kibby street, who has been braking on the C H & D railroad, has received a promotion to conductor. Some time ago, John said when he got to be a "con" he was going to get married Its up to you, now, John

About the Erie.

The superintendent of the Erie has issued an order forbidding the laborers of the road riding on the ends of cars It has been the custom of the switchmen and ward men to sit or stand on the end of the cars and a number of accidents having occurred by the sudden stopping of the trains, causing the issuing of the order —Huntington Journal

The Erie railroad officials have cut down the Rochester section gang from five to three men each and reports from up and down the line say similar action has been taken at each station A local employe says the road is now so rough that trains should not run over twenty miles an hour and instead of diminishing the force of section men it ought to be enlarged—Rochester Sentinel

Have you noticed the crowds that come in over the Erie these mornings" Since that road changed its schedule so people living in nearby towns along the line to the west of u can come to Lima and return before night you can see anywhere from a dozen to probably forty persons coming in from Kempton Spencerville and even from Ohio City, who come here to trade Quite a bunch come in from the east every morning, too This means more business to south side merchants as well as the north side

Movers and Buyers.

Yesterday the Bohlman property at the corner of Second street and St Johns avenue including a residence store room and feed mill was purchased by J H Meyers of near Westminster The people who conduct business at this corner will remain as tenants

Ed George has moved to 796 south Elizabeth street from Cridersville

P L Yant recently purchased property at the corner of Metcalf street and Faurot avenue, and is building a fine residence the cellar and foundation being completed yesterday.

Mr and Mrs Fred Calvert have removed to 124 west Kibby street, from McPheron avenue.

I wish some one would tell me of a house, or four rooms, for rent near Main and Kibby street. A B A., Times-Democrat office

Cause of Joy.

The cause of that smile on Edwin Wentworth's countenance is the arrival of a new girl baby at their home, at corner Kibby and Holly streets.

Odd Fellows' Banquet.

Last evening I O O F hall, corner of Main and Kibby street, was the scene of a jolly banquet, given by Solar Lodge No 783 Elida lodge did the initiatory degree work for two candidates and the feast followed About 150 persons were present, and all are well pleased

Fair Tonight.

St Johns hall was the scene of much activity, preparations being made for the yearly church fair which begins this evening. The hall will be elaborately decorated, and many booths are awaiting your patronage This evening all children will be admitted free while an admission fee of 10 cents will be charged adults throughout the week Fine musical programs have been arranged for each evening and several valuable prizes await winers of different contests Ice cream and lunch will also be an enjoyable feature each evening

The proceeds of this enterprise will go to the church and Catholic schools of south Lima and everybody will be made welcome

Personal Briefs.

Mrs Kitty McCoy of west Circular street, entertained Mr and Mrs Wm Wein of Spencerville, last evening

Special prices on all millinery this week at Mrs Van Horn's 1 3t

Mrs F H Chapman of McPheron avenue has been entertaining Mrs C H Pachus of Ada

If you are looking for furs at reasonable prices see Mrs Van Horn's line 31 3t

Mrs Rev Curry and her father Mr John H Stitsworth and Mrs Harry Zurmehly visited the Soldiers Home at Dayton today

Joseph Rathbone of west Kibby street is on the sick list

A line of holiday umbrellas direct from the manufacturer at Mrs Van Horn's The $1 50 kind for $1 25 1

Mrs M S Bowers of south Main street is visiting at Galion

Miss Mattie Baker of 601 south West street, has returned from a month's visit with relatives and friends in Dimondale Mich

UNHAPPINESS DISPELLED.

Men and Women Unanimous About It.

Many women weep and wail and refuse to be comforted because their once magnificent tresses have become thin and faded Many men incline to profanity because the flies bite through the thin thatch on their craniums It will be good news to the miserable of both sexes to learn that Newbro's Herpicide has been placed upon the market This is the new scalp germicide and antiseptic that acts by destroying the germ or microbe that is the underlying cause of all hair destruction Herpicide is a new preparation, made after a new formula on an entirely new principle. Anyone who has tried it will testify as to its worth Try it yourself and be convinced. Sold by leading druggists Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co, Detroit Mich

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HEATING STOVES

A Combination

The Michigan Stove Co. have brought out a stove this year that fills a long felt want. It is a stove that is fitted with a Patent Gas Burner that you can connect to your pipes and burn gas and at the same time the grates are left in the stove ready for instant use in case the gas fails You do not have to change a thing if the gas goes down, simply open the stove door and put in any kind of fuel, wood, hard or soft coal or coke and it burns just the same as though the gas was not connected This is a fine arrangement for those who want to burn gas whenever there is any, and who do not want to be bothered changing, taking out burners and putting in grates. Come in and see this stove at HARMAN'S.

Steel Ranges.

A GARLAND RANGE with Reservoir and High Closet....$35.00
A BORN RANGE With Reservoir and High Closet......$30.00
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A Few Snaps

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And lots of other interesting things at HARMAN'S.

Cheap Stoves.

We have them. If you don't want a high priced stove we can help you out. We have several odd samples and some good second hand stoves We want them out of the way. Come in, we want to show them to you.
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The Wonder Garland

Soft coal heater, all that its name implies, it certainly is a wonder. You can burn any kind of soft coal or slack and it's clean as a pin Nice looking stove, too We have one in operation Won't you drop in and see it at HARMAN'S

Retort Stoves.

Why stand around and fuss because your house is cold and you can't get it warm. Quit fooling and go down to HARMAN'S and order a Retort Stove then get a load of good Jackson nut coal and your troubles will be at an end. You can get all the heat you want. Can keep fire over night. You feed your coal into the magazine and the stove does the rest.

Have You Ever Tried One

Of these Wood Air Tight Stoves They are splendid things for cold houses They act quick and actually "work while you sleep" They keep fire over night. Think of getting up in the morning and giving your fire a little poke and in a few moments you have a nice fire and a warm room Try one, it will do you good HARMAN'S.

"Harman's"

THE BIG STORE.

Woman's Nature

is to love children, and no home can be completely happy without them, yet the ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass usually is so full of suffering, danger and fear that she looks forward to the critical hour with apprehension and dread. **Mother's Friend,** by its penetrating and soothing properties, allays nausea, nervousness, and all unpleasant feelings, and so prepares the system for the ordeal that she passes through the event safely and with but little suffering, as numbers have testified and said, "it is worth its weight in gold." $1.00 per bottle of druggists. Book containing valuable information mailed free.

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On account of the Annual Live Stock Exposition, the Erie railroad will sell excursion tickets to Chicago and return at very low rates Tickets on sale Nov 29th, 30th and Dec 1st. Tickets will be good returning until Dec 7th. For further information, inquire of Erie agents, or write

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Penna oil	1 71
White House oil	1 36
Corning oil	1 57
New Castle oil	1 64
North Lima oil	1 32
South Lima oil	1 27
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A genius he was, all the people agreed
But they laid him away, because
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—Cincinnati Post.

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THE WEATHER.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Ohio, partly cloudy tonight and Friday, not so cold Friday.

That consuming, all fired intense yearning, sacrificing devotion, and deep adoration which Mark Hanna had for laboring men before the election, is suffering with "innocuous desuetude."

It is an astounding nine-days wonder the way confidence has been restored in the last sixteen days. And to think that credit for it is all due to spellbinders. It baffles description, it staggers belief. It is stupendous.

The many thousands of men who have been thrown out of employment, or have been forced to accept ten, twenty and thirty per cent reduction in their wages while paying tariff and trust prices for their living since the late elections are beginning to lift the lids from their dinner pails which Hanna told them they could only keep full by helping him "stand pat," and to do a little thinking for themselves.

The telegraphic news of yesterday announced reduction in wages at twenty-seven industrial plants located in different sections of the country, and some of them in Ohio. Isn't that enough to convince the people of this state that the calamity Hanna said would follow the election of a democrat was the veriest rot, and only uttered for the purpose of scaring people into voting the republican ticket?

The four hundred men who have been let out of employment on the Chicago-Marion branch of the Erie railroad, within the last two weeks, and within which time Hanna has been reelected a member of the board of directors of the road, will meet early next week and pass a full vote of thanks to the senator for his thorough, complete and satisfactory restoration of confidence, made possible only by his election of Herrick, and a republican legislature.

CASES

Involving Sums of Money

On the Docket

Asphalt Company Is Made Defendant

In an Action Brought to Recover the Loan of $5,000 and Interest

Two Other Suits, One a Replevin and the Other an Appeal Make Up the Record in the Clerk's Office

An action in replevin was filed yesterday, by the St. Marys Machine Co., naming H. A. Abbott as plaintiff. The property involved is a boiler and certain tools and fixtures, for which a note for $752.36 was given Dec. 29th, 1898. A balance of $44.32 and interest to the amount of $84.36 is claimed. Judgment for possession of the property or the money still due is asked for by Copeland & Rogers, who represent the plaintiff.

Decision Appealed From.

An appeal case originally heard by Justice Mowen, was filed in common pleas this morning, naming Lizzie Hall and Wm. F. Hoover as the parties at law. The plaintiff was awarded a judgment against the Hoover Furnishing Co., for $10.87, on the claim that the defendant had taken possession of certain chattles which the plaintiff had purchased on the installment plan, valued at $14.75 and on which she had paid about 70 per cent of the cost. Prophet and Eastman appealed for the defendants.

A Toledo Case.

Charles H. Burchinal vs the New Castle Asphalt Block Co., is a case which comes into court from Attorney C. A. Thatcher, of Toledo. The plaintiff makes the claim that he borrowed $5,000 for the defendant company on March 14, 1900, on which interest has been paid to March 12, 1903, and the plaintiff has since paid it. He also says that defendants owe him the sum of $346.59 part of which is due him as salary when he was manager of the company, and the balance money loaned. He asks judgment for $5,567.79.

Have You Ever Tried One

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MOONBEAMS FILTERING

Through Window Fell on Ghastly Face of the Dead Father.

Tragedy, Details of Which Beggar All Description, in Which Two Children Were Forced to Undergo Frightful Experience.

Cleveland, Ohio, Nov. 19.—Albert Hackert, of 143 Croton street, during the absence of his wife, late last night, stabbed himself to death in the presence of his two young daughters, aged 5 and 8, years respectively.

The tragedy was one of the most ghastly in all its details. Hackert recently returned from the Newburg insane asylum and is supposed to have been demented when he took his life.

The elder girl told part of what happened:

"When we had gone to bed," she said, "Papa, locked all the doors and told us he would kill us if we did not keep still. He pounded himself on the head with a club, ran around the room, moaning, and then cut himself with a butcher knife. He kept running around the room, until he dropped over in the corner. Then we laid still and cried until mamma came. Both children were nearly crazed by their frightful experiences, and are dazed by the shock.

As nearly as can be judged Hackert died at 10 p. m. after a maniacal debauch of blood, which lasted an hour.

From that time until 1:30 a. m., the little ones cowered in bed, their dead father lying in the corner. The mother came at the latter hour and notified the police. The room resembled an abattoir.

Blood was smeared on the bedclothes, on the floor, on the furniture, on the walls, and great red splotches were on the ceiling, where in his insane frenzy the unfortunate man had flung it. When Mrs. Hackert arrived the children were moaning piteously and half dead from fright. Over in the corner, moonbeams, filtering through the dirty little window, fell upon the ghastly, distorted face of their dead father. In his neck was a big gash, almost severing his head from his body.

MEDIATION HAS FAILED.

Chicago Strike Now Bids Fair to Be a Finish Struggle.

CHICAGO, NOV. 19.—RENEWAL OF HOSTILITIES BETWEEN THE CITY RAILWAY CO. AND THE EMPLOYES OF THAT CORPORATION BEGAN PROMPTLY TODAY FOLLOWING THE FAILURE OF ATTEMPTS AT ARBITRATION. THE FIRST DEVELOPMENT IN THE WAR WAS A STRIKE OF ALL THE TEAMSTERS IN THE EMPLOYE OF THE COMPANY. ABOUT 60 DRIVERS QUIT WORK.

THE STRIKE OF THE TEAMSTERS WAS IN OBEDIENCE TO THE COMMAND OF THE TEAMSTERS' JOINT COUNCIL.

IT IS THE INTENTION OF THE TEAMSTERS' UNION TO PREVENT THE DELIVERY OF COAL AND SUPPLIES TO THE RAILWAY CO., AND THE OPERATION OF ITS REPAIR WAGONS.

Reason For Action.

Chicago, Nov. 19.—The action was taken according to the officials of the roads, because Edward D. Winter, a member of the Teamsters' Union, refused to haul non-union electric workers in his wagon and was thereupon discharged. This is taken to mean that the company cannot get a load of coal or supplies of any kind without employing non-union drivers. The company anticipating the refusal of its teamsters to haul supplies, is said to be planning to obtain food stuffs by means of a steam railroad, which runs close to the barns. The stand taken by the railway officials, on the "closed shop" contention of the strikers which contention was said to have been abandoned by the men, was made clearer when the substance of the letter sent by the directors to Mayor Harrison and the aldermanic mediation committee last night was learned. The letter said in effect that Attorney Darrow, counsel for the strikers, in drawing up the closed shop proposition modifications had only changed the wording and that what was embraced in the clause meant the same as a closed shop. The directors, it is said would agree to nothing except an absolute waiver of that proposition. They would not allow the union to control the road. The letter further charged that union employes had committed thefts and more serious crimes and that the directors of the company would not let men of that calibre have any voice, direct or indirect, in the management.

EFFORTS

At Arbitration Have Signally Failed No Common Meeting Ground.

Chicago, Nov. 19.—All efforts of the mayor to secure arbitration of the differences between the Chicago City Railway Co., and its striking employes have failed.

This announcement was made today following a series of conferences between Mayor Harrison and his mediation committee of aldermen, and committees representing the company, and the strikers.

It was stated that today's meeting developed no common meeting grounds for the opposing sides and that for the present there is no sign of an amicable settlement.

PETITIONER WAS ARRESTED.

Guards Thought Him Assassin But He Proved to Be a Student.

Yokohoma, Nov. 19.—As the emperor was returning to the palace at Tokio today from the army maneuvers, he was approached by a young Japanese, who presumably intended to present his majesty with a popular petition. The man was immediately arrested by the guards. The petition besought the emperor to take decisive action in the Manchurian question. The petitioner proved to be a sane, calm student of the Linguistic school.

The annual grand ball of Lima Hive No. 43, L. O. T. M. will be held in the Auditorium tonight.

ATTACK WAS MADE ON CITY

Without Effect Rebels Had Many Killed. Supply of Provisions Getting Scarce.

San Domingo, Nov. 19.—Wednesday, Nov. 18.—Yesterday, at noon, another severe attack was made on the city without effect. The rebels had many killed and wounded, but the government losses were small. The firing continued during the night, the insurgents using heavy cannon.

The situation here is desperate. The poor are suffering for necessities, and prices of provisions are rising.

OPEN TOMORROW.

DUFFIELD'S GROCERY WILL BE OPENED FOR BUSINESS TOMORROW.

FELTZ BRO'S & CO. RELIABLE GOODS HIGH GRADE LOW PRICES TRADE

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We offer in addition many specially low prices throughout the store. Doubly good reason for supplying your wants at this store. See these offerings:

Dress Goods.

Four pieces 36-inch cloth, in green and brown mixture, always 50c per yard. Special at 39c yd

A 54 inch grey mixed, all wool cloth, regular price 98c per yard. Special at 59c yd

A heavy blue-grey Skirting 30 inches wide, a great bargain. Special at 39c yd

A 50 inch Pluette, very rich deep blue, very fine quality, always $1.00 per yard. Special at 69c yd.

A 44-inch black Prunella, a handsome piece of goods, always $1.35 per yard. Special at $1 yd

A 56-inch fine dark green mixed, all wool cloth, never sold for less than $2.00 per yard Special at $1.50 yd.

All our 12½c Flannelettes, the choice, beautiful designs, so popular at the present time Special at 10c yd.

Wraps.

We mention only a few of our extra values.

Ladies' 27 inch coat, two styles, loose back, also semi fitting, good quality Kersey, stole front, lined throughout with good satin, colors black, castor and tan.

Extra value at $10.

Ladies' Crushed Plush Capes, 30 inches long, full mercerized lined, thibet, fur trimmed.

Extra value at $6.50.

Children's heavy Zebeline Coats in sizes 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14 years, well made, stylish appearing, would be cheap at $5.75.

Extra value at $5.

Infants' Eiderdown Coats, lined, and fur trimmed

Extra value at $1.25.

Infants' all wool cloth Coat, castor color, well lined and interlined, deep cape collar, full lined and interlined.

Extra values at $4.75.

Thanksgiving Linens.

A 64 inch extra heavy, unbleached German Damask, nothing else to equal this piece for wear, always 90c per yard Special at 65c yd.

A 64-inch Silver Bleached Damask, cheap at 65c per yard. Special at 55c yd.

A 72-inch Silver Bleached Damask, very soft, good piece always 75c per yard Special at 63c yd.

A 70-inch Silver Bleached Damask, good value at 75c per yard Special at 59c yd.

A 70 inch fine Bleached Damask, very fine quality, beautiful design, regular price $1.00 per yard Special at 89c yd.

A 70-inch full Bleached Damask, always 75c per yard. Special at 65c yd.

Napkins to match the above, 22x22 inches, regular price $2.25 per dozen. Special at $1.95 doz.

All the above are strictly pure linen, and so guaranteed

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. F. M. Haller, of west Wayne street, has returned to her home after a visit with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Harper, of Ottawa.

Mrs. E. T. Greiner, of Columbus Grove, came yesterday to attend the funeral of Geo. A. Hamilton. Miss Greiner and Mr. Greiner came today. Mrs. W. H. Harper, of Ottawa, is also in the city on the same sad mission.

Miss Della Lenhart, of Ottawa, will be the guests of Lima friends on Saturday and see "Miss Bob White."

Mrs. E. Owen has returned from a visit with the family of Postmaster Allen Graham, at Ottawa. Miss Florence Graham accompanied her, coming on expressly for the comedy opera "Miss Bob White."

Misses Elsie and Grace Cover, of Ottawa, will come the latter part of the week for a visit with Mrs. Asa Catt, of west Market street. They will join a party of Lima friends, to witness "Miss Bob White" at Faurot's.

Julius Hardesty, employed in this city, and Olive Dice, of Pleasant township, Putnam county, were licensed to wed at Ottawa. The couple will live in Lima.

Mrs. J. B. Jewett, of Cadiz, O., who was called to Lima on account of the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. E. R. Foster, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Stagman, of west Market street.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Christen are rejoicing over the arrival of a handsome son at their home in the Boose flats on south Main street.

Misses Mary and Ella Holihan, of north Elizabeth street, were in Sidney yesterday in attendance at the funeral services of Mrs. Hanlin.

Charles C. Yates, of 110 west Grand avenue and his sister, Miss Cossie Yates, of Kenton, were called to Walkeeburg, Ont., today, by the death of their father, who was killed in an accident.

Mrs. Cloyd Roush and daughter Martha, left this morning for their home at Racine, Wis., after an extended visit with Mr. Theo. Roush and Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Deweese of north Elizabeth street.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Newell, of south Collett street, a daughter.

J. P. Hall, the jeweler, who has been quite ill at the city hospital, returned yesterday, and is much better, but is not able to be in his store yet.

Feltz Bros. & Co., the progressive dry goods merchants, have installed at the front of their already commodious store room, a hand finished oak show case that is a thing of beauty, and will in the future display its contents to good advantage.

COOKING APPLES 40c BUSHEL AT WATSON'S.

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A good Coal Hod 19c
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WANTS, FOR RENT, LOST, FOR SALE, ETC.

WANTED.

WANTED—Two rooms for light house keeping for man, wife and boy. South side preferred. Address O. J. Lutz, Lake Erie House. 31-3t*

WANTED—Men wanting to earn $5 to $15 a week working evenings. Call on E. F. Fleming, Hotel Norval.

SITUATION WANTED—By young man of 22, with good habits. Will do any thing. Address M. F. P., care Times-Democrat. 32-3t*

WANTED—Women for hand ironing, at Niagara Laundry. 1t*

WANTED—Dining room girl and kitchen girl at Erie hotel. Will pay good wages to the right persons. Enquire at once of Mrs. John O'Connell, at Erie hotel. 30-3t

WANTED—Man with references for commercial traveler, to call on merchants and agents; experience not required; salary $24 per week with expenses advanced. National, Caxton building, Chicago. 28-6t

WANTED—A reliable man to pass cards for the Cincinnati Painless Dentist, Cincinnati block. 27-tf

WANTED—Men who will invest in a new Electric Interurban Railway. Shares $10 each. Can secure a position as conductor or motorman when the road is built. The T. C. & C. Ry. Co., 417 opera house block, Lima, O. Open evenings from 7 to 8 o'clock. 17-tf.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Nice warm furnished rooms in suite or single. Brick house, 126 west North street, 3rd house west of court house. 32-3t*

FOR RENT—House of 7 rooms. Inquire at 316 north Pine street. 32-3t

FOR RENT—Eight room house in choice location, strictly modern. Has furnace, cistern, cellar, natural and artificial gas. Enquire of John D. Foye, Thompson block. 27-1wk

FOR RENT—One furnished room suitable for two gentlemen. P. O. Box 591. 5-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—House at 533 north Elizabeth street, ½ square north of Mc Kibben street. Also one lot on north West street. Enquire at 533 north Elizabeth street. 32-3t*

FOR SALE—A steam table, cheap, at Joe Miller's, 133 east Wayne. 32-3t

FOR SALE—Cheap, 1 new four roomed house on large lot. For sale on monthly payments of $10.00 down and 8.00 per month. Located near refinery and L. E. & W. shops. Apply 135½ north Main street. Room three. 32-3t

FOR SALE—1 good fire proof safe, in good condition. Cheap Copeland Loan office, 109 east Wayne. 30-3t

FOR SALE—My Elizabeth street location, consisting of office building, bins, street scales, 5 year lease on ground and barn which goes with said lease. Also entire stock of bicycle tools, bicycles and sundries. Harry Rumple, 112 north Elizabeth. Both 'phones. 28-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—A fourteen room residence modern, one of the most desirable in the city. Cost $12,000. Can be rented or will sell before December 1st, for $9,000. Easy payments. Address A. B. C., Times-Democrat office. 20-tf

MISCELANEOUS.

STRAYED—Brown and white pointer dog. Answers to name of Nip. Return to Manhattan Oil Co. office, or 734 west North street, and claim reward. 28-6t

LOST—Pair gold rimmed glasses, enclosed in a black case. Were lost on the Allentown road. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to Mrs. Frank Dalzell, 523 south Elizabeth street, city. 22-2t-wky-1t

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

FROZEN BODY BORE TWENTY

Stilleto Wounds When Police Found It Lying in Middle of Bridge.

Minneapolis, Minn, Nov. 19—Bearing twenty stilleto wounds, the frozen body of Salvador Battallia was found today lying in a pool of blood in the middle of the Franklin avenue bridge. The police are working on the theory that the man was lured to the lonely spot where the body was found and was killed in a spirit of revenge.

A receipt was found on his body showing that he had applied for admission to the Masonic order.

That robbery was not the motive is clear from the fact that $65 was found untouched in his pockets, while a loaded revolver in the hip pocket showed that he had been struck down without a chance to defend himself.

SIBERIAN CLAIMS HE HAS FOUND A CURE.

Hopes to Win Prize Rockefeller Offered for Discovery of a Specific for Tuberculosis. Pathological Institute Under Way.

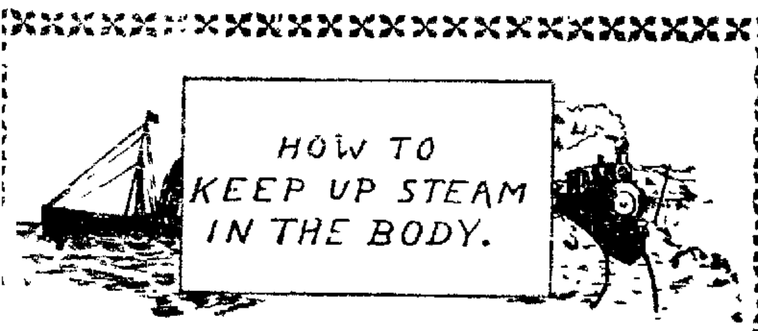
New York, Nov 19—In connection with reports from Moscow announcing a discovery of a consumption cure by Kisel Zazoranski, a Siberian man who hopes to win the prize offered by Jno D Rockefeller, it is recalled that consumption is only one of the subjects of investigation which comes within the scopes of the Rockefeller institute of medical research. The plans for the institute were made public early in the year and already they have taken practical shape. A board of directors ... Mr Rockefeller gave an initial gift of $200 000 for pathological research in pursuance of a scheme which he began to formulate more than three years ago. He selected a number of eminent scientists to work out his plans and seventeen months ago, he placed the sum of $1 000 000 at the disposal of the board for immediate use and the execution of the entire scheme may mean the outlay of ten times that sum from Mr Rockefeller's gifts. Some portion of the funds have been placed in fellowships all over the country.

The headquarters of the institute will be in this city.

IS A REAL DESTROYER.

[illegible] Nov 19—The ... destroyer Falcon collided ... during the night ... smack. The latter sunk and all hands aboard of her were drowned.

The Falcon's bows were smashed and one of her crew was killed. She put into Devonport for repairs.



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FULL

Strength of the Vocalists In Choruses

And Solos at First Annual Eisteddfod.

Gomer, Ada, Venedocia, Van Wert, Ohio City and Lima Compete

For the Prizes and the Audience Was Moved to Enthusiastic Applause at the Two Performances.

It may well be said in the beginning, leaving well-earned praise as an after thought, that the patronage at the Eisteddfod, held in the Congregational church last night, was not what it should have been, or, perhaps what it would have been had the people of Lima known just what a magnificent treat was in store. But the first event of the kind is fortunately not to be the last, as the decision was final that this gathering of cultivated vocalists is to be an annual affair and as such is sure to be looked forward to as one of important events of a season's entertainments. In the meantime it is but natural that Lima will awaken to the demand and be better prepared to compete for the prizes which are not without real value and honor. The talent is present and cultivated to a marked degree, as was made apparent when the full strength of the grand mixed chorus was brought out in the rendering of Star of Descending Night. The choir under the leadership of Henry Deisel was awarded the decision in the contest as against other mixed choruses from Lima Ada and Gomer.

Lima shared in the distribution of other prizes. Marion Vermillion being accorded first place, and winning great applause after his bass solo "Bandolero" by Stuart. Daniel Jones of Venedocia won in the baritone solo contest rendering "Calvary" with fine effect.

In the mixed quartette Ada was awarded the prize and Heber Richards also of Ada was accorded the honor of having rendered the tenor solo "In Native North" with the most pleasing effect but in competition Tom Peate of Lima, had the better voice according to Prof Evans, although it lacked something of the quality the selection demanded.

Perhaps the best number of the afternoon program was in the alto solo competition which was won by Miss Georgia Ayline of Ohio City. Miss Helen Badeau was among the four young ladies who stood for the test and she was referred to by Prof Evans in the highest manner. Miss Dora Werts of Ada won the distinction of having the best soprano voice and she and Miss Anna Jones also of Ada divided honors with Miss Edith Crosson and Jessie Hagerman, of Lima, in the soprano and alto duet "God is Love"

The ladies chorus, "Sweetest May" brought Gomer, Ada and Lima into competition and while the result was much in doubt the adjudicator decided in favor of the Gomer chorus of thirty voices.

In the evening a male quartette from Van Wert sang "Arabella" by Parry and was awarded the prize over two competitors Messrs Richards and Evans, of Venedocia won tin the bass and tenor duet, and Ada again came into notice by first honors awarded for the best rendition of "Estudiantina" by the ladies quartette.

There was considerable rivalry between Gomer and Venedocia in the male chorus, Gomer having won in a preliminary test a week ago but last night Venedocia was victorious.

The alto solo was, strange to say, won by petite Marjoret Owens, the 11 year-old daughter of Prof Hugh Owens, the well known director and the prize was awarded to her, strictly along the lines of merit. The child both as a vocalist and piano player, has a bright future in store for her.

The soprano solo in the evening program gave the honors to Miss Edna Schinderrolf and Rolland Mikesell and Tom Peate divided the honors of the tenor solo.

SPECIAL ...

A special line of agents samples in furs, which will be sold at lowest possible prices at Mrs. Van Horn's

MOTHER

Of Mrs. W D Heffner Died at Muncie, Ind

Deceased Had Long Been an Invalid But the End Came Unexpectedly.

That period in life when the loss of a beloved member of the family is deeply mourned, has come to Mrs W D Heffner of west Wayne street, who was apprised of the sudden death of her mother, Mrs Priscilla Bowers, at Muncie, Ind.

The deceased will be tenderly recalled by a number of the older residents of the city, and through them the bereaved relatives feel the kind hand of genuine sympathy in this hour of their great sorrow. Mrs Bowers had been an invalid for a period of five years, but her death Tuesday night was both sudden and unexpected. Funeral services were held at Muncie this afternoon at two o'clock. Mrs Heffner responding to the telegram and leaving for there yesterday morning.

LOCAL

Tribe of Ph T, and Daughters Of Pocahontas

Hosts of Many Braves and Squaws.

Great Sachem of Ohio and Scores of Other Visitors Are Here

Attending the Exemplification of Degree Work Street Trail Given at 11 O'clock This Morning

The members of Ph T tribe of the Improved Order of Red Men and the local Daughters of Pocahontas are entertaining the Great Sachem of Ohio and many other visiting braves of the order of Red Men and Squaws of the Daughters of Pocahontas organization. A meeting for the exemplification of the degree work of the order is being held in the Tolan hall and the Tribes of many of the neighboring towns are represented.

At 11 o'clock today a street trail headed by the Dana band was given the members of the band and all the braves and squaws marching through the streets in single file.

After the trail the visitors were formally welcomed by Mayor Robb who addressed them at the Tolan hall. A response was made by the Great Sachem and dinner was then served by the Daughters of Pocahontas. The program of the day as issued with the invitations to the neighboring tribes was as follows:

PROGRAM.

10 O'clock a. m

Street trail headed by city band to start from the wigwam of Ph T tribe corner Main and Spring streets.

Immediately after the trail there will be an address of welcome by Bro T D Robb mayor of the city.

Short talk by Great Sachem of Ohio.

Adjourn to partake of "Corn and Venison" which will be served by the daughters of Pocahontas.

1 p m. to 3 p m.

Adoption work in the Council of Pocahontas by the degree staff of Shawnee Council No 32, of Delphos Ohio.

3 p m. to 5 p. m

Adoption degree in the tribes council by the degree staff of Pequod tribe No 102 of Scott Ohio.

Warrior's degree by a picked team from different tribes in the district.

Adjourn to partake of what corn and venison may yet remain.

7:00 p. m

Chief's degree work will begin by the degree staff of Abenaki tribe No 77 of Van Wert, O followed by long talks by the Great Sachem of Ohio, and other chiefs.

Following the quenching of the council fire the Great Chiefs will confer the past Sachem's degree on all brothers upon presentation of proper credentials.

Come one and all. Red men and Daughters of Pocahontas. A ball will also be given on the same date, Nov 19 1903.

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FUR NECK PIECE.

DRY BLUEM GOODS

Scarfs, Boas and Stoles, in all kinds of Furs. Fox, Beaver, Mink, Opossum, Squirrel and Coney, on which we can save you money.

Fox Boas in all lengths, both in Isabella and Sable, at $7.50, $10, $12.50, $15, $18 and up.

Marten Cluster Scarfs at $5, $5.75, $7.50, $10, $12 50 to $25.

Beaver Scarfs in new styles at $12.50 and $15.

Opossum Cluster Scarfs with 6 long tails, at $3 98, $4 50, $5 and $5 75.

Extra long Black French Coney Flap Stole at $4 49 to $7.50.

Coney Cluster Scarfs at 98c, $1.25, $2.25 to $4.50.

Greatest Value in Fur Coats Here.

Electric Seal Coats, satin lined, at $25.

Electric Seal Jackets, Skinner satin lined, at $38.

Near Seal Coat, Beaver collar, lapels and cuffs, at $50.

First quality Near Seal Jackets, none better made, at $50.

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"The Home of Stylish Suits and Footwear."

CHARITY

Comes in for a Share of the Prize

Which Lima Chorus So Brilliantly Won Under Direction of Mr. Deisel.

Mr Henry Deisel who so ably conducted the Lima chorus in its rendition of "Star of Descending Night," at the Eisteddfod in competition with four choruses and whose assemblage of singers received the first prize of $50 00 has made excellent distribution of that sum. Ten dollars of it he gave to the Associated Charity organization, ten dollars to the Lima Choral Society for use of hall and five dollars to Miss Mary Hentze, who so brilliantly and ably accompanied the Lima chorus of 50 voices.

Mr Deisel found it imposible to consult with all the members of the chorus but trusts his disposition of the prize will be satisfactory to all.

Retort Stoves.

Why stand around and fuss because your house is cold and you can't get it warm. Quit fooling and go down to HARMAN'S and order a Retort Stove then get a load of good Jackson nut coal and your troubles will be at an end. You can get all the heat you want. Can keep fire over night. You feed your coal into the magazine and the stove does the rest.

WOMAN'S CLUB IS IN SESSION.

Arrangements Being Made for Federation Assemblage in St. Louis, Next Year.

St Louis Mo, Nov 19—The biennial committee of the Federation of Women's club met here today to make preparations for the meeting to be held next May in St. Louis. Committees were appointed and the work of the meeting throughout the week was outlined.

Among the members of the committees and board of directors now in the city are Mrs. T. S Dennison, president, Mrs Robert J Burdett, of Los Angeles, first vice president; Mrs Emma A Fox, of Detroit, 2nd vice president, Mrs Wm Coad, of Rapid City, S D recording secretary; Miss Louisa B Poppenhein, of Charleston S C, corresponding secretary, Mrs Emma Van Vechten, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, treasurer, Mrs George H Noyes, of Milwaukee, auditor and chairman of the biennial board.

Directors—Mesdames John M Carter of Baltimore; Samuel Hayes, of Boise City Idaho, James Humphreys, of Kansas City, and Lydia P Williams of Minneapolis, Minn.

NOVELIST IS DEAD.

London Nov 19—Henry Merriman, (Hugh Stowell Scott) the novelist, is dead. He had been suffering from appendicitis for a week.

MACCABEES.

All members of the Allen Hive No 197 are requested to be present Friday evening, Nov. 20 at the Odd Fellow's temple, corner Wayne and Elm streets, as there will be business of importance.

By order of lady commander,

CARY WHALEY

Cheap Stoves.

We have them. If you don't want a high priced stove we can help you out. We have several odd samples and some good second hand stoves. We want them out of the way. Come in, we want to show them to you. HARMAN'S.

APPLES 40c BUSHEL AT WATSON'S.

FAUROT OPERA HOUSE

MATINEE AND NIGHT.

Saturday, November 21.

Messrs Nixon and Zimmerman present their elaborate production of WILLARD SPENCER'S COMEDY OPERA,

Miss Bob White

With a magnificent and entire scenic environment and their own superb orchestra. The greatest cast and finest production that has ever been accorded a Spencer opera and an American beauty chorus of [illegible].

PRICES:

Matinee—[illegible]

Night—[illegible]; Lower [illegible]. Seats on sale Friday 9 a. m.

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BASE RUNNING HAS BECOME A LOST ART.

Chance and Sheckard, Both National Leaguers, Were Only Men Who Distinguished Themselves During the Season Just Closed.

Out of the smoke and confusion of the baseball campaign just ended one specially bright and pleasing feature looms up like a red headed man at an Italian dance. That feature was the base running of Frank Chance and Jimmy Sheckard, both National leaguers, each of whom captured sixty-seven cushions during the season, says the Chicago Journal.

Base running has become such a rarity of late years that it was almost a lost art. Hardly any of the star players could navigate the sacks a little bit, unless pushed along by the next batsman, and one of the prettiest and most exciting features of the game had become practically a forgotten branch of play. When asked why so few bases were stolen, the critics and the players made various solemn excuses, and gave lengthy explanations of the seldomness of thievery. They said that the pitchers balked so much, and with so little restraint from the umpires that no decent starts could be obtained from first base. True, the pitchers do balk, and do get away with it, but are they one bit balkier than the slabmen of long ago? It is very seldom, nowadays, that a pitcher catches a man sliding back to first. Galvin, Kilroy and Welch used to nail somebody every afternoon, and could outbalk all the slabmen now twirling in either league. The sacrifice hit and the hit-and-run system are also said to be responsible for the decay of base running, but the sacrifice is only used with a man on base and no one out, while the hit-and-run gag is pulled off about as infrequently as the sacrifice. It is also claimed that the catchers throw better. The catchers have this advantage—that the big glove now used breaks the shock of the ball and the man can recover and send the ball away sooner than when the smaller gloves were worn. Still, the pitcher is farther from the catcher and the backstop doesn't live who can throw any better than Ewing, Bennett, and the rest of those old lads.

Showed Them Up.

Chance and Sheckard simply showed up a lot of gentlemen who are too timid to take chances or are afraid of right along. There are many men in bases can be stolen just in the same old way, and that daring runners can beat the catchers and the basemen right along. There are amny men in the big leagues who can beat both Chance and Sheckard in a sprint, but none of these men came near them when it was time to steal bases.

Fifteen years ago, as the old record books show, players stole bases ad libitum. The American association men were particularly lively and an association game must have been a gingery spectacle, with players diving and scooting from sack to sack at every turn of the battle. For ten years past the base running has been decaying and the work of Chance and Sheckard was the one thing needed to brace it up and show that wholesale plundering is still a possibility.

The American league, incidentally, was very weak in base running this season. Few of the Johnsonians did anything worth noticing in this line. Dave Fultz, the best thief in the league, was out of it half the time, and none of the other lads could do much on the pathways. Chance, Sheckard, Wagner and Mertes skinned anything in the American so far as pilfering was concerned. Harry Bay, of Cleveland, being about the only American leaguer to make a pretty showing.

OPINION

Rendered by the Attorney General of the State

With Reference to Law Relating to Black Bass Deputy Game Warden After Hunters.

The local deputy game warden has received some instructions from the state department at Columbus relative to the black bass law, and also concerning the transgression of the anti-trespassing law, and in accordance with his instructions he has requested the farmers of Allen county to report to him any violations of the latter section of the statutes.

Relative to the black bass law, the following communication from the chief game warden of the state is self explanatory:

Columbus, O., March 27, 1903.

Deputy State Warden:—

Dear Sir:—The following opinion has been rendered by the Attorney General on the black bass law:

Under section 6968-1, it is made "unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, to sell or offer for sale, barter or give away, or have in possession for any such purpose, any black bass caught in any of the rivers, etc., in this state, or which was caught in any such body of water without the state of Ohio."

Such statute is applicable to any person who sells, offers to sell, etc., black bass, caught within this state, and held for the purposes referred to in such statute.

This section of the statute is also applicable to any person, who, in the state of Ohio, sells, offers for sale, barters, gives away, or has in his possession, any black bass taken from waters outside of the state of Ohio, but with this exception that the importer or original consignee in this state, may sell, barter, etc., without violation of law, such fish being in the original packages, but any purchaser or donor from such importer who sells, barters, etc., black bass so taken and shipped, is subject to the provisions of said section 6968-1, so likewise, is the importer or original consignee, if he sells, barters, etc., such black bass, other than in the original packages.

The law relating to black bass has heretofore been more liberally construed.

For this reason, prosecutions in accordance with the above opinion will not be commenced until April 15th, 1903.

You are hereby instructed to prosecute any one found violating the black bass law after April 15, 1903, as above opinion sets forth. Furnish all your newspapers and all persons interested in the sale of black bass a copy of this notice. Yours truly,

J. C. PIRTERFIELD,
Chief Warden."

We Can All Be Happy.

No real good can come from deception. Our physical, moral and financial or social conditions and surroundings are never the better through deception. Truth, candor and loyalty are the rocks upon which stand all that is built to benefit and glorify. No greater injustice can we do ourselves or our children than to neglect the one necessary adjunct to perfect health and peace of mind. Three-fourths of all the ills (so-called) from which we suffer and by which we are hindered from performing our home or social duties, may be traced directly to the irregular and general upset condition of the stomach and bowels.

Mothers may rely upon Dr. Caldwell's (Laxative) Syrup Pepsin as a stomach and bowel remedy for themselves as well as the little ones. By its use you keep your own physical structure in perfect cleanliness; hence healthy condition. You will be free from headache, your breath will be pure, your digestion perfect, your bowels regular, your nerves normal and even tensioned as they should be. You will find the same pleasant and beneficial results if you "dose the babies," as it were, on Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, as it keeps their little bowels cool and regular, prevents or cures Wind Colic and all the little ills so prevalent and annoying among children. Do not deceive yourselves or your children by using heavy, poisonous, nauseating drugs that ruin the stomach and congest the bowels; use Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin; read the directions on the 50c or $1.00 bottle. Use it according to the suggestion in the literature that is so gladly given free by your druggist. Look to the manufacturers if the results are anything short of your fondest hopes or our sincere representations.

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He Could Hardly Get Up.

"This is to certify that I have taken two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure and it has helped me more than any other medicine," writes P. H. Duffy, of Ashley, Ill. "I tried many advertised remedies, but none of them gave me any relief. My druggist recommended Foley's Kidney Cure and it has cured me. Before commencing its use I was in such a shape that I could hardly get up when once down." H. F. Vortkamp, corner Main and North streets.

They Do.

Nell—It must be true that the good die young.

Belle—Oh, I don't know. Sometimes they outgrow it."—Philadelphia Record.

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NEW BISHOPS CONSECRATED.

Services Were Imposing—There Being a Score of Bishops Present.

Newark, N. J., Nov. 19.—The Rev. Edwin S. Lines, former pastor of St. Paul's Episcopal church, New Haven, has been consecrated bishop of the Episcopal diocese of Newark, in succession to the late Bishop Starkey. The services which were held in Grace Episcopal church were the most imposing ever witnessed in the diocese, there being nearly a score of bishops and more than 250 clergymen present, with fifty vested choristers.

The Right Rev. Daniel S. Tuttle, of Missouri, presided with Bishop Henry C. Potter of New York and John Scarborough, of New Jersey, as consecrators. An immense throng of women sought entrance to the church after the procession had entered and struggled to pass through the two small iron gates. Many of them had their clothing torn.

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Excursion tickets between all stations on this line will be on sale at all ticket offices Wednesday and Thursday, Nov. 25 and 26th, and to points on connecting lines in Central Passenger Association territory within 150 miles from starting point. Tickets 1903.

Quick Arrest.

J. A. Gulledge, of Verbena, Ala., was twice in the hospital from a severe case of piles causing 24 tumors. After doctors and all remedies failed, Bucklen's Arnica Salve quickly arrested further inflammation and cured him. It conquers aches and kills pain. 25c at H. F. Vortkamp's, druggist, corner Main and North streets.

FUNERAL

Of Beloved Mother Was Held in Sidney.

Concerning the funeral of Mrs. Thomas Sullivan which was held at the Holy Angel's church in Sidney, Tuesday morning, the Sidney News has the following: "The services were attended by a large number of her relatives and old friends. Among those from a distance who were here were Mrs. Mary Hurley, Mrs. W. L. Brown, Mrs. Julia Dwyer, Mrs. D. J. Harrington, Mrs. M. L. Clifford and John Harrington, of Indianapolis. James Smith and wife, John Clifford, Daniel Kennedy wife and son John, of Brightwood, Indiana. Mrs. Timothy Kerby, Mrs. Warren, John Warren, H. J. O'Nell and wife, Daniel Curran and wife, Mrs. Lawrence Clifford, Mrs. McFarland, Ed and Frank McFarland, Ed Sullivan and wife, of Lima, Mrs. Timothy Clifford and Miss Julia Shea, of Bellefontaine, T. W. Sullivan and family, of Anna."

Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs and colds: reliable, tried and tested, safe and sure. A general household favorite wherever used. H. F. Vortkamp, corner Main and North streets.

PATRONS OF HUSBANDRY ELECTS NEW OFFICERS.

Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 19.—The following officers were today elected by the National Grange, Patrons of Husbandry: National Worthy Master, Aaron Jones, South Bend, Ind.; Overseer, T. C. Atkins, Morgantown, W. Va., Lecture Governor N. J. Bachelder, of New Hampshire; Steward, J. N. Newcomb Golden, Colo.; Chaplain, W. D. Thompson, Liberty Hill, S. C.

The resolution favoring woman suffrage offered yesterday was adopted today after a long discussion.

TURKISH PROVERBS.

With patience sour grapes become sweet and the mulberry leaf satin.

By the time the wise man gets married the fool has grown-up children.

Give a swift horse to him who tells the truth, so that as soon as he has told it he may ride and escape.

Be not so severe that you are blamed for it, nor so gentle that you are trampled upon for it.

If you have to gather thorns, do it by the stranger's hand.—November Century.

Virtues of Watered Milk.

In the absence of a chemical engine and an adequate supply of water, a Crum Lynne, Pa., milkman rushed in and put out a fire with a can of milk. The pure milk movement has not yet reached Crum Lynne.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Like the fragrance of a rose comes a sweet breath from the healthy stomach. The breath is an index to the health. When the breath is bad the stomach is out of order. A disordered stomach strikes terror to the nervous system and weakens every tissue and muscle of the body. It weakens the brain, the heart and damages the kidneys. A disordered stomach starves the blood and weakens the system because it can not digest and assimilate sufficient food to keep up the health and strength.

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corrects every disorder of the stomach. It is not recommended for any complaint except those arising from a disordered condition of the stomach. Kodol does for the stomach that which it is unable to do for itself, even when but slightly disordered or overloaded, relaxing the nervous tension, while the inflamed muscles of that organ are allowed to rest and heal. Kodol cleanses, purifies and sweetens the stomach. When you take Kodol everything you eat tastes good, and every bit of the nutriment that your food contains is digested, assimilated and appropriated by the blood and tissues.

Kodol Digests What You Eat—Makes the Stomach Sweet.

Bottles only. Regular Size, holding 2½ times as much as the trial size which sells for 50 cents.
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"I have suffered with heart-burn, and have had most severe attacks of same. I would awake in the night with most suffering pains. I read of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and with no faith, tried a bottle. I kept it at my plate on my table, and I must say, found quick relief. In all, I have taken three small bottles, and for the past year have had no return attack." DEVEE KING, Meridian, Wis.

"For a great many years I have been troubled with Dyspepsia. I have tried all the known remedies without obtaining any results. Kodol was recommended to me by my druggist and after taking a few bottles I am glad to say that I can eat anything I wish without suffering from indigestion. I recommend it to all sufferers from Dyspepsia, no matter how serious their case is." E. A. DECKER, Little Falls, N. Y.

Sold by C. H. HEISTER.

AN INIQUITOUSS SCHEME.

If the report and recommendations of Receiver Smith of the shipbuilding trust are favorably acted upon by the circuit court the way will be taken to punish the men responsible for that iniquitous scheme. According to Receiver Smith, the enterprise was a swindling one from beginning to end. The careless way in which checks for millions were drawn and signed by an officer who says that he paid no particular attention to them illustrates the character of the enterprise. A prospectus that did not tell the truth, and falsification generally, according to the receiver, characterizes the entire proceeding in regard to these corporations.—Philadelphia Press.

A Startling Test.

To save a life, Dr. T. G. Merritt, of No. Mehoopany, Pa., made a startling test resulting in a wonderful cure. He writes, "a patient was attacked with violent hemorrhages, caused by ulceration of the stomach. I had often found Electric Bitters excellent for acute stomach and liver troubles so I prescribed them. The patient gained from the first, and has not had an attack in 14 months." Electric Bitters are positively guaranteed for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Constipation and Kidney troubles. Try them. Only 50c at H. F. Vortkamp's, corner Main and North street.

THE QUIET LIFE.

Mr. Woodbee Goode and wife occupied one of the two-by-four Harlem flats with their two children, a boy and the baby brother, eight months old, together with their two pets, a frisky fox terrier and a poll parrot, says the New York Times.

Mrs. Goode had a birthday recently and was proudly presented by her husband with one of the latest improved cuckoo clocks, with two birds instead of the regulation single one. The smaller of the birds called the quarter hours and the larger, in deep solemn tones tolled the hours.

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9 Buffalo-Chicago L't'd., da. 1:52 am
21 Chicago Exp., da. ex Sun 5:42 am
3 N. Y.-Ch'go L't'd., daily 11:23 am
13 Wells Fargo Exp., da. ex Monday 2:57 pm
37 Local Frt., ex. Sun arrives 6:20 pm

Trains East

8 N. Y. and Columbus, daily 4:05 am
22 Marion-Columbus, ex Sun 8:21 am
4 N. Y.-Boston L't'd. daily 4:23 pm
10 Buffalo-Chautauqua, dly 11:02 pm
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No. 7 Daily, leaves 2:10 am
No. 11 Daily ex Sunday, leaves 5:50 am
No. 1 Daily ex Sunday, leaves 8:55 am
No. 5 Daily leaves 12:41 pm
No. 3 Daily, leaves 4:10 pm
No. 9 Daily, leaves 6:10 pm
No. 13 Daily, except Sunday 9:35 pm
No. 13 Daily ex Sunday, arriv only 9:35 pm
No. 65 Sunday only, leaves 8:50 am

NORTH BOUND.

No. 12 Daily, leaves 2:36 am
No. 14 Daily, leaves ex Sunday 5:30 am
No. 2 Daily ex Sunday, leaves 8:05 am
No. 6 Daily, leaves 11:57 am
No. 4 Daily ex Sunday, leaves 4:35 pm
No. 8 Daily, leaves 6:06 pm
No. 10 Daily ex. Sunday, arr only 9:40 pm
No. 60 Sunday only, leaves 7:43 am
No. 66 Sunday only, arr. only 9:36 pm

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Change of time on Detroit Southern Railroad, in effect June 14th, 1903.

No. Going South

1 Daily except Sunday 2:16 p.m.
3 Daily except Sunday 6:06 a.m.
21 Sunday only 2:15 p.m.
23 Sunday only, arrives 11:50 p.m.

Going North.

2 Daily except Sunday 10:56 a.m.
4 Daily except Sunday, Arr. 8:25 p.m.
22 Sunday only, arrives 10:56 a.m.
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No. West.

1 Daily, leaves 9:56 a.m.
5 Daily ex Sunday, leaves 4:23 p.m.
3 Daily ex Sunday, leaves 4:30 a.m.
7 Daily ex. Sunday, arrives 8:10 p.m.

East.

8 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 8:06 a.m.
4 Daily ex Sunday, leaves 12:50 M.
2 Daily, leaves 5:56 p.m.

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No. East.

24 Pgh. special, daily 12:46 am
6 Pgh. & N. Y., daily 7:15 am
36 Crestline accm., da. ex Sun 9:05 am
30 Alliance accm., da. ex Sun 2:15 pm
22 Seashore Limited 4:27 pm
8 Pgh. & N. Y., daily 9:30 pm
2 Limited Express, daily 11:07 pm

West

15 Chgo. & West, daily 1:52 am
23 Chgo. & West, daily 10:23 am
39 Chgo. & West, da. ex Sun 9:28 am
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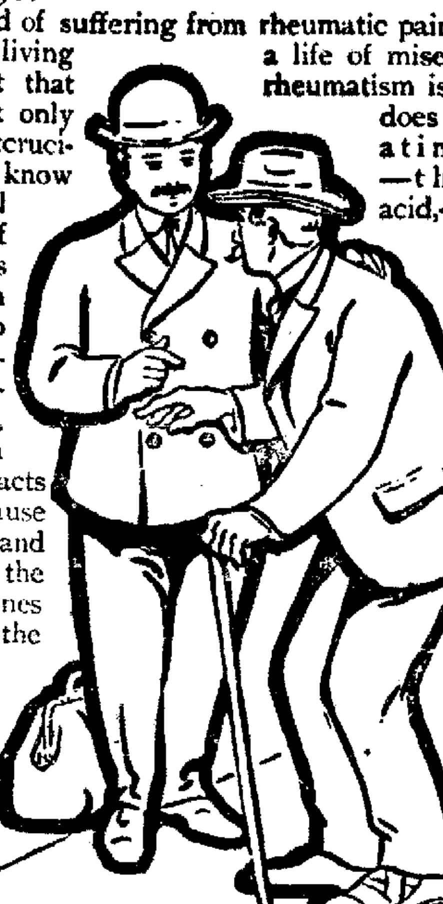

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OCTOBER PETROLEUM EXPORTS.

The October exports of petroleum and its products fell short by over 5,500,000 gallons from those of September, but there was a gratifying increase in the value, owing to the higher prices obtained. The latter fact accounts for the falling off in the demand, the aggregate exports for the month revealing a decrease from the corresponding month of 1902 of about 18,000,000 gallons. The amount received for the oil sent abroad in October was the heaviest of that of any month since August, 1900, says the Oil City Derrick.

The September exports were the largest of the current year and in value were ahead of every other month, with the exception of October. Compared with September a year ago, the month showed an increase both in amount and valuation. Toward the close of September there was a sharp advance in the price of refined, but it came too late to have any effect upon the demand from abroad. August, usually a heavy month in the petroleum export trade, fell short of July by nearly 8,000,000 gallons and showed the smallest figures for amount of oil sent abroad, of any August in the past four years. More oil was exported in July than during any previous month of the year, and the valuation was over $600,000 ahead of July, 1902. June was behind May in both the amount and value of petroleum exported from the United States, but was far ahead of the records made by January, February and March. During the month save one, between April, 1901, and December, 1902, our exports of petroleum exceeded 80,000,000 gallons. For every month of the current year except July, September and October, they have fallen below that amount.

The refined market, which was quoted at 8.30 cents per gallon for 74 degree Abel test in barrels, and 5.60 cents in bulk at the beginning of the year, was marked up to 8.55 cents in May. This remained the ruling figure until September 28, when there was an advance of 15 points, followed by another advance on September 30, of 10 points more, making barreled oil 8.80 and bulk oil 5.90 cents per gallon at the close of the month. Further advances were made during October until 9.30 cents per gallon was reached on the 28th. The price of crude petroleum at the wells has been likewise steadily gaining in value. Refined oil in bulk advanced 4.50 cents per gallon in October, 1902. The difference between refined and bulk oil is now 2.90 cents per gallon, instead of 2.70 cents, owing to advance in the price of cooperage.

Exports of Texas oil from Galveston appeared for the first time as a conspicuous feature in the monthly statement of the Bureau of Statistics early in 1902, and the foreign shipments for the year amounted to 26,666,575 gallons and were valued at $241,649. The exports for the present year have have been very irregular. No foreign oil shipments were reported from Galveston during January, March or June. For April, 1,082,118 gallons of crude and 1,353,862 gallons of illuminating oil were shipped from the Galveston custom district. The exports from Galveston for May, 1903, were 336,000 gallons, valued at $6,000, while for July the exports from this point were 2,654,258 gallons, valued at $77,000. The August exports consisted only of 84 gallons of crude, valued at $4. Galveston's exports in September amounted to 2,565,932 gallons and were valued at $15,501, while the October exports were 252 gallons of crude, valued at $20.

The exports of mineral oils for October from the Eastern shores of the United States, amounted to 80,948,629 gallons, and were valued at $6,755,378. This was a loss of 5,577,282 gallons in amount, accompanied by a gain of $381,302 in value. Compared with October, 1902, there was a decrease of 17,996,011 gallons in amount and an increase of $353,721 in value. The exports for October last year were 98,944,640 gallons, valued at $6,391,657.

The total exports of mineral oils for September from the Eastern Atlantic and Gulf ports amounted to 86,525,511 gallons and were valued at $6,374,076. This was an increase over August of 8,846,298 gallons in amount and $628,174 in value. In comparison with September a year ago, there was a gain of 5,699,332 gallons in amount and $561,090 in value. The exports for September a year ago, were 80,826,179 gallons in amount and $4,812,986 in value.

According to the figures of Mr. O. P. Austin, the chief of the Bureau of Statistics, the total exports of mineral oils for August were 77,679,213 gallons, valued at $5,745,902. This represented a decrease from the July figures of 7,358,490 gallons in amount and $447,066 in value.

June closed the fiscal year of 1903 of the Treasury Department, and the records gave a total exportation of 941,028,336 gallons of petroleum and its products, valued at $65,118,303. Compared with the year 1902, there was a decline of 149,340,564 gallons in amount and of $5,870,206 in value. For the twelve months ending with June 30, 1902, they amounted to 1,090,368,900 gallons and were valued at $70,948,609.

For the ten months ending with October 31, 1903, our total exports of petroleum and its products amounted to 743,241,113 gallons, and were valued at $56,407,769, as compared with 872,446,086 gallons, valued at $55,163,114 for the same period ending with October 31, 1902. This represents a falling off of 129,204,973 gallons in amount and a gain of $1,244,655 in value. For the first ten months of the current year our petroleum exports have declined at the rate of nearly 13,000,000 gallons per month.

The exports for October were distributed as follows: Crude, 10,523,620 gallons; naptha, 2,532,216 gallons; illuminating oils, 59,398,985 gallons; lubricating oil and paraffin, 8,296,408 gallons; residuum, 197,400 gallons. The total of mineral oils shipped from New York was 37,237,508 gallons; Philadelphia, 29,420,697 gallons; Baltimore, 4,942,178 gallons; Boston, 142,817 gallons; Delaware, 9,205,177 gallons, and Galveston, 252 gallons.

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AN ORDINANCE establishing a permanent grade on Eureka street, from the east line of Prospect street to the east line of Calumet avenue, in the City of Lima, Ohio. Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Lima, Ohio, as follows, to-wit: Section 1. That the center line and curb grade of said street between said points be, and the same is hereby established as follows: At the east line of Prospect street, 140.60 feet above datum line; at both sides of Calumet avenue, 144.00 feet above datum line. Section 2. That the sidewalk grade shall be four-tenths higher than the above grades, and that the roadway shall be 30 feet wide between curb lines, and that the sidewalk shall be laid on a line 2½ feet from the fence lines, and that the curb lines shall be 10 feet from the fence lines. Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor, and publication according to law. Passed by the Council, November 9, 1903. Approved November 10 1903. Theo. D. Robb, Mayor of the City of Lima, Ohio. Geo. L. Newson, President of the Council. O. J. Rose, Clerk of the Council. nov12-19

AN ORDINANCE establishing a permanent grade on Calumet avenue from the south line of Linden street to the south line of Eureka street, in the city of Lima, Ohio. Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Lima, Ohio, as follows, to-wit: Section 1. That the center line and curb grade of said street between said points be, and the same is hereby established as follows: At the south line of Linden street, 139.00 feet above datum line; at both sides of Eureka street, 144.00 feet above datum line. Section 2. That the sidewalk grade shall be four-tenths of a foot higher than the above grades; that the sidewalk line shall be 2½ feet from the fence lines, and that the curb lines shall be 15 feet from the fence lines, and that the roadway shall be 30 feet wide between curb lines. Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval by the mayor, and publication according to law. Passed by the Council November 9, 1903. Approved November 10th, 1903. Theo. D. Robb, Mayor of the City of Lima, Ohio. Geo. L. Newson, President of the Council. O. J. Rose, Clerk of the Council. nov12-19

AN ORDINANCE determining to proceed to improve Pine street, in the City of Lima, Ohio, from Market street to the River bridge, by grading, draining, curbing and paving the same. Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Lima, State of Ohio, three-fourths of all the members elected thereto concurring, as follows: Section 1. That it is hereby determined to proceed with the improvement of Pine street from Market street to the River bridge, by grading, draining, curbing and paving the same in accordance with an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance to Improve Pine Street, in the City of Lima, Ohio, from Market Street to the River Bridge, by grading, draining, curbing, and paving the same," passed on the 14th day of September, 1903, and in accordance with the plans, specifications, estimates and profiles heretofore approved and adopted and now on file in the office of the department of Public Service, no claims for damages having been filed by any of the property owners whose properties face or abut upon the proposed improvement. Section 2. That the assessments to be levied for the costs and expenses of said improvement, shall be paid in ten annual installments, with interest on deferred payments at five per cent. per annum; provided that the owner of the property assessed may, at his option, pay such assessment in cash, within thirty days from and after the passage of the assessing ordinance, in which case said cash assessment shall not include any item of interest upon bonds to be issued in anticipation of collection of deferred installments of assessments. Sec. 3. That bonds of the City of Lima, Ohio, shall be issued in anticipation of the collection of assessments by installments, and in any amount equal to such deferred installments of assessments. Section 4. That the following lots and lands shall be assessed for said improvement as determined, to-wit: All lots and lands bounding and abutting upon the proposed improvement and upon both sides thereof, between Market street and the River bridge, which are the following lots and tracts of land, to-wit: West side of street, lot numbers 323, 792, 792 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, and 799; east side of street, lots numbered 1190, 1198, 1199, 1200, 1201 and part of lot 13, Barr's addition. Section 5. That the Board of Public Service be, and it is hereby authorized and directed to make and execute a contract for said improvement with the lowest and best bidder, according to law. Section 6. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law. Passed November 9, 1903. Approved November 10, 1903, Theo. D. Robb, Mayor. Geo. L. Newson, President of the Council. Attest, O. J. Rose, Clerk of Council. nov12-19

AN ORDINANCE establishing a permanent grade on North street, from the west line of Charles street to the east line of Jameson avenue, in the City of Lima, Ohio. Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Lima, Ohio, as follows: Section 1. That the center line and curb grade of said street, between said points be, and the same is hereby established as follows, to-wit: At the west line of Charles street, 122.50 feet above datum line; at point 200 feet west of Charles street 120.60 feet above datum line; at east line of Jameson avenue 123.00 feet above datum line, and that the sidewalk grade shal be four-tenths of a foot above said grades. Section 2. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor, and publication according to law. Passed by the Council November 9, 1903. Approved November 10, 1903. Theo. D. Robb, Mayor of the City of Lima, Ohio. Geo. L. Newson, President of the Council. O. J. Rose, Clerk of the Council. nov12-19

AN ORDINANCE establishing a permanent grade on Market street from the west line of Woodlawn avenue to the west corporation line, which is the west line of the Clifton addition to the City of Lima, Ohio. Section 1. Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Lima, Ohio as follows: That the grade of the center line of said street between the points named be, and the same is hereby established as follows: At the west line of Woodlawn avenue, 128.60 feet above datum line; at both sides of Judkins ave, 132.50 feet above datum line; at both sides of Nixen ave., 136.30 feet above datum line; at west corporation line, 134.50 feet above datum line. Section 2. That the grade of the curb line between said points shall be one-tenth of a foot lower than the above grades, and that the sidewalk grade shall be four-tenths of a foot higher than the curb grade. Section 3. That the roadway shall be 30 feet between curb lines, and that the curb line shall be 15 feet from the fence lines. Section 4. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor, and publication according to law. Passed by the Council November 9, 1903. Approved November 10, 1903. Theo. D. Robb, Mayor of the City of Lima, Ohio. Geo. L. Newson, President of the Council. O. J. Rose, Clerk of the Council. nov12-19

AN ORDINANCE assessing a special tax to pay the cost and expense of grading Elm street in the City of Lima, Ohio from Central avenue to the east line of The Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railway Company. Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Lima, State of Ohio, as follows: Section 1. That to pay the cost and expense of grading Elm street in the City of Lima, Ohio, from Central avenue to the east line of The Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railway Company, there be, and there is levied and assessed upon the several lots and tracts of land abutting upon said street between said points and hereafter described, the sum of $157.03, said sum being the total cost of said improvement (less the cost of improving the public street and public alley intersections, and two per cent of the total cost, amounting in all to $3.23, which shall be paid out of the general revenues of the city), as per report of the City Civil Engineer, now on file in the office of the department of Public Service. Section 2. That said assessment be, and hereby is apportioned to the several lots and tracts of land abutting upon said improvement, according to the number of feet each tract or lot fronts upon said improvement, it being found by the Council that each of said lots or tracts of land have been benefited by said improvement in an amount not less than the assessment hereby levied upon the same; and the respective assessments apportioned to each lot and tract of land is hereby authorized and declared as follows:

Rate per front foot, $.2275.

Morgan Thomas, outlot 8, S. W. Pt. 156 feet	$ 34.7[illegible]
H. M. Colvin, outlot 8, S. E. Pa. 75 feet	16.7[illegible]
Wm. McComb, outlot 27, N. W. Pt., 132 feet	29.4[illegible]
L. M. Latham, outlot 27, N. E. Pt., 100 feet	22.2[illegible]
The C. H. & D. R. R. right of way, 242 feet	53.9[illegible]
City of Lima, Ohio, 2 per cent	3.2[illegible]
	$160.[illegible]

Section 3. That said assessment as apportioned in section 2 above, shall be paid to the City Treasurer, on or before the 10th day of December, 1903; and in default of such payment, the Clerk of the Council shall forthwith certify all unpaid assessments to the County Auditor, to be by him placed upon the tax duplicate for collection. Section 4. That all such assessments, when collected, shall be applied in payment for the making of said improvement, and the costs and expenses thereof, and for no other purpose. Section 5. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest time allowed by law. Approved November 10, 1903. Theo. D. Robb, Mayor of the City of Lima, O. Geo. L. Newson, President of the Council. O. J. Rose, Clerk of the Council. nov12-19

AN ORDINANCE establishing a permanent grade on Linden street, from the east line of Harrison avenue to the west line of Prospect street, in Lima, Ohio. Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Lima, Ohio, as follows: Section 1. That the center line and curb grade of said street, between said points be, and the same is hereby established as follows: At the east line of Harrison avenue, 135.50 feet above datum line; at the public alley, 164 feet east of Harrison ave., 143 ft. above datum line; at west line of Prospect street, 141.35 feet above datum line, and that the grade of the sidewalks shall be four-tenths of a foot higher than the above grades. Section 2. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor, and publication according to law. Passed by the Council November 11, 1903. Approved November 10, 1903, by Theo. D. Robb, Mayor of the City of Lima, Ohio. Geo. L. Newson, President of the Council. O. J. Rose, Clerk of the Council. nov12-19

AN ORDINANCE establishing a grade on Charles street from the south line of North street to the north line of High street in the City of Lima, Ohio. Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Lima, Ohio, as follows: Section 1. That the center line and curb grade of said street between said points be, and the same is hereby established as follows: At the south line of North street, 122.50 feet above datum line; at the north line of High street, 120.70 feet above datum line. Section 2. That the roadway shall be 24 feet between curbs, and the curb line 8 feet from the fence line, and that the sidewalk shall be built out to or on the curb line. Section 3. That this ordinance shal take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor, and publication according to law. Passed by the Council, November 11, 1903. Approved November 10, 1903. Theo. D. Robb, Mayor of the City of Lima, Ohio. Geo. L. Newson, President of the Council. O. J. Rose, Clerk of the Council. nov12-19

SHERIFF'S SALE.

(Case No. 6).

P. R. Kerr, plaintiff
vs.
Samuel Jones, defendant.

Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of a vendi exponas, issued from the court of common pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, December 19, 1903,

between the hours of one o'clock and 4 o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate in the city of Lima, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Inlot number twenty-three hundred and sixty-seven (2367) in Watt's addition to the city of Lima, Ohio, the same being situate on the east side of Blaine avenue, house number (1115).

Appraised at $400.00.

Terms of sale: Cash.

E. J. BARR,
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.
Lima, Ohio, Nov. 18, 1903.-th-fri-tt
P. R. Kerr, plaintiff's attorney.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

The Ohio National Bank, of Lima, O., Plaintiff,
vs.
W. H. Standish, et al., Defendant.

Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of a vendi exponas, issued from the court of common pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house, in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, November 28, 1903,

between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate in the city of Lima, Allen county, O., and described as follows, to-wit:

The undivided one-third (1-3) interest in and to the south half of inlot number 1124 in Miller's extended addition to the city of Lima, Allen county, Ohio, subject to the dower of Eliza E. Selfridge. Appraised at $600.00.

Also the undivided one-sixth (1-6) interest in and to the south half of inlot number 1125 in Miller's extended addition to the city of Lima, Ohio, subject to the dower of Eliza E. Selfridge. Appraised at $300.00.

Said above described property being situated on the east side of south Central avenue, between Kibby and Eureka streets.

Total appraisement, $900.00.

Terms: Cash.

E. J. BARR, Sheriff,
Allen County, Ohio.
Lima, Ohio, Oct. 28, 1903.
MINER A. ATMUR,
wed-th-13-5w Plaintiff's Attorney.

STATE OF OHIO, INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.

Columbus, O., Feb. 1, 1903.

I, A. I. Vorys, superintendent of insurance of the state of Ohio, do hereby certify that the Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company located at Liverpool, in England, has complied in all respects with the laws of this state, applicable to it, and is authorized to transact in this state on the capital stock plan its appropriate business of insuring property against loss or damage by fire and lightning and tornadoes, as prescribed in section 3641, paragraph first, Revised Statutes of Ohio, during the current year. Its condition and business, on the thirty-first day of December of the year next preceding the date hereof, is shown by the statement, under oath, as required by section 284, of said Revised Statutes, to be as follows:

Aggregate amt. of available assets	$11,048,889.27
Aggregate amt. of liabilities (except capital), including re-insurance	6,265,722.35
Net assets	4,783,166.92
Amt. of income for the year in cash	8,617,284.38
Amt. of expenditures for the year in cash	5,928,864.78

In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused my official seal to be affixed, the day and year first above written.

[SEAL] A. I. VORYS,
Superintendent of Insurance.
John O'Connor & Son, agents at Lima, Ohio.

NOTICE.

Charles Aubry, residence unknown, will take notice that on the 24th day of October, A. D. 1903, Winifred Aubry filed her petition in the court of common pleas, Allen county, Ohio being cause No. 11677, praying for a divorce from said Charles Aubry, on the ground of gross neglect of duty, and that said cause will be for hearing on or after six weeks from the 24th day of October, A. D., 1903.

11-6wks WINIFRED AUBRY,
By Charles H. Adkins, her attorney.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of William Stoodt, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administratrix of the estate of William Stoodt, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 27th day of Oct., A. D., 1903.

Oct. 31-3wks. SOPHIA C. STOODT.

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FIRE AND WATER WREAK HAVOC

In Business District.

Duffield and Cohn Buildings Gutted by Flames This Morning.

Heavy Losses Are Sustained.

Newspaper Establishment, Saloon and Restaurant, Grocery Store and Lodging and Tenement Departments Dismantled by Early Morning Fire--Water Thrown for Nearly Eight Hours.

The Estimated Losses.

THOS. DUFFIELD—Two story brick building, partly gutted and adjoining frame buildings completely destroyed $6,000
LIMA DAILY NEWS—Newspaper establishment, with machinery, type and other equipment practically a total loss . 8,500
JACOB J. HAEGE—Saloon, restaurant and lodging house, damaged by smoke and water 1,800
DUFFIELD & SON—Grocery, damaged by smoke and water total loss 2,000
MORRIS COHN—Two story frame building, completely gutted 1,500
JAMES DUFFIELD—Household goods and other personal effects 2,000
THOS. FITZGERALD—Household goods and other personal effects 1,000
A WEIXELBAUM—Lima Courier printing establishment and newspaper plant, damaged by water 50
J. R. HUGHES—Damage to the building occupied by Courier newspaper plant 100

Total of estimated losses....$22,950

The most disastrous fire that has occurred within the business districts of this city, was discovered in the Duffield block, opposite the court house, on north Main street, shortly after 2 o'clock this morning. The central fire department was first called out and upon reaching the scene, Chief Coates realized that a very serious fire confronted his men, and turned in a second alarm that called out the city's entire department. By 3:30 o'clock, the department, assisted by several volunteers, had seven streams of water turned on and the battle, that left wreck and ruin in the wake of the fire and water, was not ended until 11 o'clock today. The above figures show what is considered a conservative estimate of the losses sustained. Most of these losses, if not all, will be fully covered by the insurance held by those interested in the property damaged and destroyed.

OCCUPANTS

Of the Duffield and Cohn Buildings Had Narrow Escapes.

The fire started in the rear of the Duffield brick block, in a frame structure that was occupied by the mechanical department of the newspaper plant, and spread rapidly into the frame buildings on each side and into the main portion of the Duffield block, in front of the frame structures, and the flames gained headway rapidly that the occupants of the second story apartments of both the Duffield and Cohn buildings had but little time to escape after the danger was discovered.

Mr. and Mrs. James Duffield, who occupied the rooms directly above the Duffield & Sons grocery, and Thomas Fitzgerald, who occupied apartments above the News office, were driven out by the smoke and flames before they had time to do more than don scant clothing. Mr. Duffield carried his two children out of the burning building in their night clothes, and Mr. Fitzgerald did most of his dressing in the street, where the temperature was hovering about the zero mark.

WORST WRECKS

Are Those of the Newspaper Plant and the Cohn Building.

The scene at the fire stricken district today is as beautiful as it is deplorable. Great clusters of icicles hang to all parts of the dismantled flame scarred buildings, and in the basements under the Duffield grocery and under the newspaper office, the water is knee deep. In the latter place, two printing presses and more than a car load of newspaper are half submerged. In the mechanical department of the newspaper establishment, most of the machinery, including a lynotype machine and its equipment, valued at $3,700, is reduced to junk. Next to this establishment, the Cohn building, adjoining the Duffield building on the south and occupied by J. J. Haege's saloon, restaurant and lodging house, presents the most complete wreck left in the wake of the flames. The Cohn building is completely gutted, throughout, and all that was saved of Mr. Haege's stock, was some barreled goods that was rolled out onto the sidewalk.

THE FIREMEN

Did Good Work and Their Efforts Were Appreciated.

The members of the fire department became handicapped soon after reaching the scene of the fire by the ice that formed everywhere, making the work of climbing ladders and stairways and scaling roofs, much of which was done, quite hazardous. Their clothing also became frozen, but they worked both rapidly and effectively in spite of the handicaps. Mr Duffield provided the men with warm lunches at breakfast time and J. W. Smallwood threw his cafe and its stocks open to all of the fire fighters. At noon, today, after the battle had ended, the firemen were furnished with dinner at the Oak at E. W. Jackson's expense.

"NEVER RAINS,

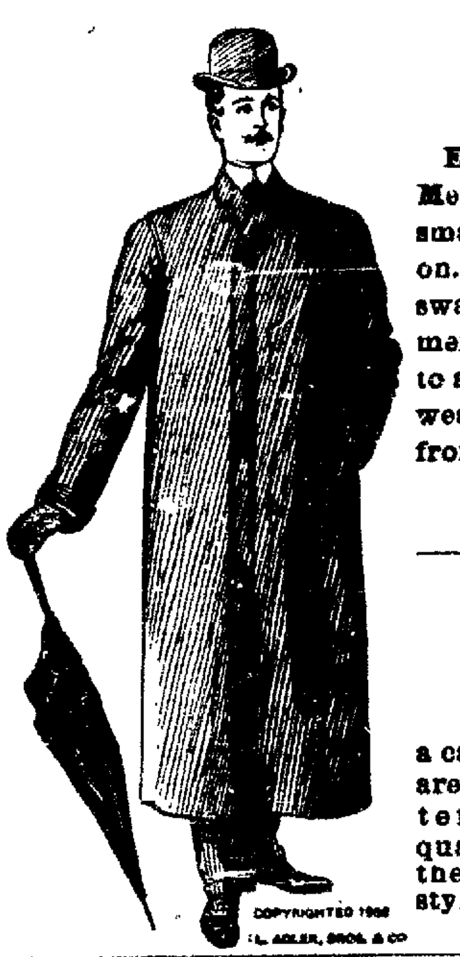
But It Also Pours," Exemplified in Jas. Duffield's Case.

The truthfulness of the old adage that "It never rains, but it pours" was exemplified in a very practical manner to James Duffield who had to carry his two children out of the burning building in their night clothes. Monday, he purchased a new piano, and placed it in his parlor. The instrument is now a total wreck. Yesterday, he fell from a step ladder and had his right arm broken. This morning he had to buy clothing and shoes for his children before he could dress them.

The Wonder Garland

Soft coal heater, all that its name implies, it certainly is a wonder. You can burn any kind of soft coal or slack and it's clean as a pin. Nice looking stove, too. We have one in operation. Won't you drop in and see it at HARMAN'S

Men's Clothing.



Men's Overcoats.

Entirely new effects in Men's Belt Overcoats The smartest coat of the season. There is a grace and swagger about these garments which will appeal to a large class of clothing wearers. Prices range from

$10 to $20.

Particular dressers who want nothing short of perfection in their attire will be delighted on examining and trying on the superb Overcoats we are showing at **$15.** The fabrics and styles are the season's newest effects. We are sure to please you.

Men who do not care to pay fancy prices and wish to wear good, stylish clothing will find the line of Winter Overcoats we are showing at **$10** just what they are looking for. The assortment embraces garments of almost every fabric, pattern and style on the market

Men's Suits.

At no other store will you find such a carefully selected stock of Suits as we are showing at **$10.** The closest attention has been paid to the quality of the materials as well as to the fit and the price. A number of styles at a price you will cheerfully pay.

If you wish to pay **$15** for a Suit we can show you a selection unbounded—all the swell effects in the new Fall Styles—either single or double breasted - grand values.

Our Boys' and Children's Department Contains the Latest Novelties of the Season's Make and at Prices to Suit any Purse. Suits $1 to $8. Overcoats $2 to $10.

Store Open This Evening Until 9 a. m.

Sol Wiesenthal,

139 North Main Street, Lima, O.

The Fire on N. Main Street

Early this morning left things pretty warm. Put a

"Michael Overcoat"

on your back and you'll keep warm all winter. Excellent styles for $10; $12, $15, $20 to $25 at the

"Home of Stylish Suits and Footwear."

A LITTLE OF THE ALL SORTS.

Railroaders Boost Themselves in the Contest of Bowling League.

At the bowling contest last night, the Ramblers lost two games to the Railroaders, and dropped from the tie where the three leading teams stood last Saturday. The Banta Candies clinched a lead by defeating the Royals two straight games, and in order to keep even, the Grand Union Tea Co., must take two games Friday night. For the first time since the league contest began, the Railroaders were able to win both their games, having broken even in each preceding match. Frank Burkhardt, captain of the Railroaders, bowied the highest score last night, counting up 190, and the others stood as follows:

Banta Candy Factory.

Reed, Capt.	150	150
Manuel	155	188
Beeler	180	165
Chappell	110	141
Banta	157	155
Total	762	79[illegible]

Royals.

Fox, Capt.	132	127
Goes	135	126
Engle	137	135
Edwards	[illegible]	147
Tompkins	152	94
Total	716	625

Ramblers.

Hackney, Capt.	130	[illegible]
Hauenstein	[illegible]	116
Hunton	147	753
R. Brown	155	114
A. Brown	137	145
Total	714	6[illegible]

Railroaders.

Burkhart, Capt.	155	190
Alberts	179	159
Lawlor	134	160
Whittler	[illegible]	158
Burkhardt	153	143
Total	726	801

A Return Game.

Those who witnessed the basket ball game last year between the Hooligans and Katzenjammers, will be interested in the announcement that a return date has been arranged for next Saturday evening. The well-known illustrated characters will appear in make-up and the line-up will be as follows:

Hooligans		Katzenjammers.
Hooligan	c	Ma Katen.
Gloomy Gus	r f	Fritz.
Alphonse	l f	Hans
Gastan	r g	Pa Katzen.
Leon	l g	Uncle Hennie

Swan's Good Work.

Earl Swan, of Lima, is covering himself with glory as a member of the Ohio State University football team, and the sporting editors are giving him unstinted praise for his work. He is referred to as having rapidly improved under careful coaching and promises to be one of the continuous stars.

A Combination

The Michigan Stove Co. have brought out a stove this year that fills a long felt want. It is a stove that is fitted with a Patent Gas Burner that you can connect to your pipes and burn gas and at the same time the grates are left in the stove ready for instant use in case the gas fails. You do not have to change a thing if the gas goes down, simply open the stove door and put in any kind of fuel, wood, hard or soft coal or coke and it burns just the same as though the gas was not connected. This is a fine arrangement for those who want to burn gas whenever there is any, and who do not want to be bothered changing, taking out burners and putting in grates. Come in and see this stove at HARMAN'S.

Order your Thanksgiving turkey at Douglass' grocery and meat market, and order them early. eod-9-tf

IS NOT MY ADVICE-- IT IS MY COMMAND.

Dowie Calls on His Followers for Two Million Dollars Needed to Give Zion Industries Greater Producing Power.

Chicago Nov. 19.—John Alexander Dowie, general overseer of the Christian Catholic church, has issued a call for $2,000,000. The head of the Zion industries, does not make the call in the form of a request for money or advice to his followers to take up that amount of additional stock which he is attempting to float.

"This is not my advice to you—whom God has committed to my care—it is my "Command as God's messenger and your leader" says the letter, which is published in "Leaves of Healing."

The general overseer, declares the the need of capital is not due to a depression of the business of the Zion industries, but because the demand for Zion products is greater than the producing power of its present capital

FEDERAL TROOPS ARE ASKED OF PRESIDENT.

Washington, Nov. 19.—President Roosevelt has received a despatch from Gov. Peabody, of Colorado, asking that Gen. Baldwin, commanding the department of Colorado be instructed to supply such troops as may be necessary to preserve order in the mining districts. After a consultation between the President and Secretary of War, Gov. Peabody was advised that it did not appear that the resources of the state to keep the peace had been exhausted, and therefore the request for troops was denied

NOTICE, W. O. W.

All members of the Woodmen of the World, are requested to be present this evening at 7:00 o'clock sharp. There is to be team work and also work in the Morning Degree. Every member come. By order of

CON. COM.

"I owe my whole life to Burdock Blood Bitters. Scrofulous sores covered my body. I seemed beyond cure. B. B. B. has made me a perfectly well woman."—Mrs. Chas. Hutton, Berville, Mich.

The Ladies Auxiliary of Lima College will hold a sale of exchange Saturday, in Rowland's furniture store. Aprons, etc. and baked goods for sale.

Mrs. Louis Ernest, Evansville, Ind. —"Rocky Mountain Tea is splendid. Makes sick people well. Cured me after others failed." Tea or tablet form. 35 cents. For sale by H. F. Vortkamp, corner Main and North streets.

Steel Ranges.

A GARLAND RANGE with Reservoir and High Closet ..$35.00
A BORN RANGE with Reservoir and High Closet .. $30.00
A GOOD RANGE with Reservoir and High Closet .. $28.00
The greatest show of Steel Ranges in Lima at HARMAN'S.

COOKING APPLES 40c BUSHEL AT WATSON'S.

LANGLEY SURPRISED.

Twenty-four friends of Mr. Charles Langley surprised him at his home 930 west High street last night. Games were played and a delightful lunch was served.

At a late hour all departed to their homes, wishing Mr. Langley many more such happy events.

APPLES 40C BUSHEL AT WATSON'S.

Special sale of millinery at Mrs. Van Horn's.

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